April 10, Wolf, German gunboat, Raven,

CLEARANCES.

AT THE, HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.

APRIL 10TH.

Glenfruin, British str., for Shanghai.

Greyhound, British str., for Hollow.

Diomed, British str., for Singapore.

Amoy, British str., for Shanghai.

Hainan, British str., for Hoihow.

Ping-on, British str., for Hoihow.

Bellona, German str., for Saigon.

Electra, German str., for Saigon.

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for Saigon.

Woods, and 1 7 Chinese.

ley, Miss Taylor, and 40! Chinese.

Lambardy, British str., for Singapore.

DEPARTURES.

April 10, Amov. British str., for Shanghai.

April 10, Ava. French str., for Shanghai.

April 10, DIOMED, British str., for Singapore.

PASSENGERS.

Per Patroclus, str., from Liverpool .- Mr.

Per Merionethelire, str., from Swatow.—Mrs.

Moss and 5 children, Mrs. Boncher, Miss Stan-

Shanghai 3rd April.

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Hongkong, 10th April, 1883.

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號一十月四部游香 HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, AFRIL 111B, 1883. 日五初月三 未癸龄光 號七十九百八千七第 No. 789 AUCTIONS. AUCTIONS. NOTICES OF FIRMS. BANKS. PUBLIC AUCTION PUBLIC AUCTION. NOTICE. TONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING ARRIVALS. THE Steamship CORPORATION. IN THE VICE ADMIRALTY COURT E have authorised Mr. FRIEDRICH VALUABLE PROPERTY April 10, Patroctus, British str., 1,658, OF HONGKONG. HEINRICH HOHNKE to sign our In Bonham Strand. PAID UP CAPITAL5,000,000 of Dollars. J. Riley, Liverpool 21st February, and Firm from this date. RESERVE FUND2,500,000 of Dollars. THE Undersigned has received instructions from J. D. BALL, Esq., Marshal, to Sell FINE MORTGAGEE has instructed the Under-Singapore; General.—Butterfield & F. BLACKHEAD & Co. signed to Sell by Public Auction, on COURT OF DIRECTORS:-Swire. Hon kong, 1st March, 1883.

April 10, MERION ETHSHIRE, British steamer, Chairman-WM. REINERS, Esq. NOTICE. Deputy Chairman-W. S. Young, Esq. 1,245, G. W. Read, Swatow 9th April, I. L. Dalrymple, Esq. A. McIver, Esq. Gültzow, Esq., F. D. Sasscon, Esq. Goneral, -Adamson, Bell & Co. April 10, Hungarian, British steamer, 987, A. Gültzow, Esq., M. E. Sasso W. McD. Allison, Saigon 5th April, A. P. McEwen, Esq. C. Vincent! THIE Undersigned having been Granted Letters of Administration of the ESTATE M. E. Sassoon, Esq. C. Vincent Smith, risq. of the late John Noble will sign all receipts in connection therewith. Rice.—Russell & Co. Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq., April 10, Ingo, German steamer, 672, Jes-JOHN S. COX. MANAGER. Hongkong, 13th December, 1882. selsen, Newchwang 3rd April, Beans .-

Shanghai-EWEN CAMERON, Esq. LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK NOTICE. HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Deposit Account at the rate of per cent. per Annum on the daily balance. Firm in Hongkoug from this date.

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(INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER). April 10, THALIA, British troopship, for Sin-PAID-UP. CAPITAL £1,500,000. April 10. WM. H. BESSE, Amr. bark, for

LONDON BANKERS: April 10, MINARD CASTLE, British steamer, BANK OF ENGLAND. Union Bank of London, Limited. April 10. Sindh. French str., for Europe, &c. BANK OF SCOTLAND, LONDON. April O, La Victorieuse, French frigate, RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS:

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REPORTS The British steamer Merionethshire reports

left Swatow on the 9th just,, and had moderate N.E. winds and thick weather with rain.

SHANGHAI SHIPPING. 27. Lee-ynen, Chinese str., from Tientsin. 27. See wo. British str., from Amoya.

27. Sherard Osborn, British str., from a cruise. 28, El Dorado, British str., from Tientsin. 28. Kinng-kwan, Chinese str., from Hankow. 28. Wenchow, B itish str., from Tientsin. 28. Yang chin . Chinese atr., from Tientsin. 29. Shanghai, British str., from Hankow. 29. Kwa Hsing, Chinese str., from a craise. 29. Nagoya Maru, Jap. str., from Japan. 29 Kung-pai, Chinese str., from Tientsin. 30. Fuh Wo. British str., from Hankow. 30, Amoy, British str., from Hougkong. 30. Hae shin, Chinasa str., from Foodhow. 30. Gervase, British str., from Chefoo. 30. Wuchung, British str., from Tientsin. 31. W. C. de Vries, British str., from Hankow 31, Kiang-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. 31. Yangtsa, Franch str., from Hongkoog. 31, Kiang foo, Chinasa str., from Hankow. 31. Pooksang, British str., from Hongkong. 31. Keelung, British str., from Hongkong.

, Tunsin, British str., from Ningpo. Chung King, British str., from Tientsin. . Lusitania, Gorman str., from Nagasaki L. Pesiu, British str., from Hankow. 1. Fungshun, Chinese str., from Tientsin. l. Peiho, Gorman bk., from Burrard's Inlet L. Hector, British str., from Liverpool. 2. Hwai-ynen. Chinese str., from H'kong. 2, Taiwo, British str., from Hankow. DEPARTURES. 27. Tyne, British str., for Narasaki.

31. Queen of India, Brit. bk., from Nagusaki.

27. "ual. British str., for Hankow." 27. Sin Nanzing, British str., for Chefoo. 27. Posang, British str., for Hongkong. Nanzin / British str., for Foochow. 27. Klang-yung, Chinese str., for Hankow. 27. Hingehing. Chinese str., for Chefoo, 27. Fu-yow, Chinese str., for Hongkong. 27. Baikal, Russian str., for Wladivostock. 27. Chefoo, British etc., for Newchwang. 17. Florence Treat. British bk., for Foochow. 27. Yoritomo Maru, Jap. str., for Kachinotzu 28, Tokio Maru, Jap. str., for Japan. 28, Tientsin, British str., for Chefco. 28 Pantah, Chinese str., for Chefoo. 28, lebang, British str., for Hankow. 29. Soowo. British str., for Amoy. 29, Kung Wo, British str., for Hankow. 29. Lee-yuen, Chinese str., for Chefoo. 29, Chinking, British str., for Hon kon & 29, Massalia, German str., for Newchwang. 29. Cathay, British str., for Hongkong. 30. Ynng-ching, Chinese str., for Chefoo. 30, Kiang-kwan, Chinese str., for Hankow. 30. El Dorado, British str., for Chefoo. 30, Flintshire, British str., for New York. 31, Kumasaka Maru, Jap. bk., for Nagasaki. 31, 17. Upmann, German bk., for Newchwang. 31, Kung-pai, ! hinese str., for Chefoo." 31, Wenchow, British str., for Chefoo. 31, hanghai, British str., for Hankow. 31, Who on. British str., for Hankow.

31, King-teen, Chinese str., for Ningpe. I. Fuh Wo. British str., for Hankow. l. Amoy. British str., for Hongkong. i. W. Siegfried, British bark, for Tientsin. , Wuobang, British str., for Tientsin. . Has-shin, Chinese str., for Feechow. , Anna Sieban, German bark, for Amoy. dervass, British str., for Tientsin. 2, Diomed, British str., for London. 2, Tansin, British str., for Ningpo.

VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS IN CHINA, JAPAN, AND MANILA. . (Per last! Wail's Advice), 😁

Achilles (s.) Supughai Feb. 27

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TOHN BALLEY WHITE & BROTHER'S PORTLAND CEMENT. them to the Undersigned. SOLE AGENTS FOR CHINA, HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, 14th December, 1881. Bhanghai, 12th March, 1883.

the 12th of April, 1883, at Noon, at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, Sundry Surplus STORES, &c.

Ex Ship "CHANDERNAGOR," Comprising:—
PICKLES, PEPPER, SALT, FLOUR, [45] OLIVES, OLIVE OIG, VINEGAR, PRE-SERVED MEATS and SOUP, in tins, WINES, 11 Casks of PORK; 13 Casks of

WE have authorized Mr. BENDYSHE LAYTON to sign the purpose BEEF, and 7 Casks CLARET. GLASS and PLATED WARE, DINNER SET, 4 CHAIRS, 1 CLOCK, &c. 4 Large BLOCKS. French SCALE, weighing 400 Kilos. I CHRONOMETER, by DENT, London. · NOTICE. Terms of Sale—As customary.

THE Undersigned, late Compradore of the Firm of N. D. ULLIA, of Amoy, resigned the service of the above Firm at the end of the last Chinese year, since which date all the accounts have been settled between his Security and the Manager, Mr. NUSSERWANJEE DADABHOY OLLIA. The Undersigned and his Security therefore will not be responsible for any debts contracted in future with the said YIP YUNG HING,

Amoy. Amoy, 31st March, 1883. NOTICE.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY. URING my absence Mr. STEWART MUNN McLEISH will sign my name KETS per procuration. WM. CRUICKSHANK. Hongkong, 27th March, 1883.

NOTICE. N Future all LETTERS in connection with the TARU TUG AND LIGHTER COMPANY are requested to be addressed to the Undersigned JAMES WATTS:

Sec. T. T. and L. Co. Taku, 1st January, 1883.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell, on account of the concerned, at the 1st Floor over the Auction Rooms, Queen's Stone, of about 2,400 tons Capacity, Road, the following SUMMER GOODS, at low prices, just landed. LADIES' Elegant Parisian SATIN COS-TUMES, (Body unmade) with SUN SHADE and FAN to match Costumes, latest fashion, |712 | expressly made for tropical Summer Ware. GIRLS' and CHILDREN'S SATIN and

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And a variety of other GOODS. All the above Valuable Stock must be cleared Noon. vithout delay. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Hongkong, 9th April, 1883.

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others is drawn to the unusual advantages Tenders to state sum per annum, and to include taxes. No Tender under \$3,500 per mensem will be entertained by the Directors. Hongkong, 2nd April, 1883.

TZ LLLY AND WALSH'S NEW BOOKS AND NEW EDITIONS. The Land of the Morning, an account of Japan and its People, by W. Gray Dixon. Lock's Surar Growing and Refining. Spon's Dictionary of Engineering, S vols.

Ardern Holt's Fancy Dresses described and what to wear at Pancy Dress Balls. The Flower Garden, by Professor Lindley and and the above will be on view on FRIDAY Next. Sir Joseph Parton. Grace's Course of Lessons in Landscape Painting in Oil.

Bonrne's Steam, Air and Gas Engines. Natural Religion, by Author of Erice Homo. Sunov Lands and Seas,—the voyage of the "Coylon," by Hugh Wilkinson. Young's Fires, Fire Engines, and Fire Brigades Dr. Chalmers's The Structure of Chinese Characters under 300 primary forms. Sheldon's Dairy Farming, its. Theory, Practice

Urquhart's The Electric Light. The History of the Year 1882, a Complete Narrative of its chief events. Pidgeon's An Engineers' Holliday. Crow's Highways and Breways in Japan. Crabbe's English Synonyms. Cassell's Etiquette of Good Society. Hassell's Engineers and Mechanics' Pocket

and Methodis.

COUNTRY CLUB, SHANGHAL Numbered 39/48, issued in the perms of John Andrew: any one finding the same is requested to return U. D. KERR Hon. Sec., Country Club.

TUESDAY. All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND with the FIVE HOUSES erected thereon, Nos. 80, 82, 84, 16, and 88, in Bonham Strand mea- TO-DAY.

suring 6,163 square foot, and registered as the Remaining Portion of MARINE LOT No. 34. For Particulars and Conditions, apply to . J. M. GUEDES

Anotionser.

Hongkong, 9th April, 1883. PUBLIC AUCTION VALUABLE HOUSES,

In Queen's Road West. HE Undersigned has received instructions from the MORTGAGER, to Selleby Public Auotion, on WEDNESDAY.

the 18th April, 1883, at 3 P.M., on the All those Pieces or Parcels of GROUND registered as INLAND LOTS 447 and 448, measuring on Queen's Road West and on First Street 105 feet, on the East and West sides 210 feet, containing in the whole more or less 11,024 square feet. Yearly Crown Rent. \$16%, for 999 years from 12th June, 1862. Together with the 7 HOUSES in Oncon's Road West, Nos. 314 to 326, also 8 HOUSES on First Street, Nos. 79 to 93. For Particulars, apply to

. M. GUEDES, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 9th April, 1883.

INTIMATIONS. One Arctic Goose DOWN QUILT, in plain THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

> TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Hongkong Fire. Insurance Company, Limited, will be held at the Company's Office, on SATURDAY, the 14th day of April, 1883, at [720 12 O'CLOCK NOON, when the subjoined Resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on FRI DAY, the 30th day of March. 1883, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution. RESOLUTION.

the 13th April, 1883, at Noon, at the residence That Clause No. 30 be struck out and expunged from the Articles of Association of this Company and do cease to form portion of the Articles of this Company from the 14th day of April, 1883, and that the following Clause be substituted instead thereof and do form portion of the Articles of Association of the Company from the last mentioned day and be numbered 30. GASALIER, CARPET, WINDOW CUR. 30.—That the Company may with the Senction TAINS. &c., &c. of a Special Resolution previously given in

Meeting sub-divide the existing Shares of the Company into Shares of such amount as the Meeting shall direct. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hougkong, dated the 30th day of March, 1883. ROBE with Mirror Pront DRESSING THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

A SEMI-GRAND PIANO, by Collabo TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTEA. ORDINALLY GENERAL MEETING and of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Fifthe above Steamer having arrived, Con- CEA DRIFT, 24 feet by 74. All Hard LIMITED, will be held at the Company's Office, other WORKS, will be sold at a future date of April, 1883, at 12.15 in the Arrennoon, when nature and to take immediate delivery of their staunch, stout See Seat and very fast sailer. the Subjeined Resolution will be proposed. be on view on Thursday, the 12th instant, at RESOLUTION.

That each of the existing Shares of the Company be divided into four Shares of \$250 upon each of which the sum of \$50 shall be predited as paid up.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., TIME Undersigned has received instructions

General Maragers. Hongkong, dated the 19th day of March, 1883.

CHINA SUGAR REFEVING COMPANY PIMILL D

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY MEETING of the CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMI. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash b fore delivery in TED, will be held at the Company's Office, Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, to be at Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 16th day of April, 1883, at Twelve o'Clock, Noon, when the following Special Resolutions will be pro-

[719] .- That the Capital of the China Sugar Refin ing Company, Limited, be increased from \$60,000 to \$900,000 by the issue of 3,000 new Shares of \$100 each to be issued at par. 2.—That the price of issue of each of the said new shares be fully paid up by the Allottee

at the time named for that purpose by the General Agents. .—That the said new shares be: offered in the first instance in such manner, and at such times, as the General Agents shall think fit to the persons who shall on the 19th day of May, 1883, be the registered holders of the old or present shares, in the proportion of one new share for every two of the said old or present shares, and accepted, or not, within the time limited for that purpose Agents and Consulting Committee at such | may be obtained. times, to such persons, at such prices, upon

THE Undersigned has received instructions he paid thereon, or otherwise, and generally in such manner and way in every respect as they shall in their discretion direct in the 14th April, 1883, at 2 m. m., at his Sales the interests of the Company -That, subject and without prejudice to any A FINE SELECTION OF JAPANESE direction of the General Agents and Consulting Committee to the contrary made in pursuance of the immediately preceding re-SATSUMA, MIACU, KAGA and TOKIO solution, helders for the time being of the PLATES, DISHES, ENCRUSTED BOXES BRONZES ENAMELLED VASES and

of Association of the Company, to participate in the dividend for the year 1883 to the extent hereinafter mentioned, that is to say whole of the year 1883 shall have been asof the said Articles of Association, one molety, or equal half part, thereof shall be E B J 1 Case distributed amongst the holders for the time HJ 3 Bales Sharkfins, being of the said old or present shares er. clusively, in proportion to the number of shares respectively held by them, and the other molety, or equal half part thereof, shall be distributed amongst the holders for PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM the time being of the said old or present shares and the helders for the time being of the said new shares, in proportion to the

number of shares respectively held by them. -That the dividend for the year 1884 and every subsequent year shall be distributed amongst the holders for the time being of the said old or present shares and the holdors for the time being of the said new shares, at MARSEILLES en route. in proportion to the number of shares respectively hold by them.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, 5th April, 1883. NOTICE.

Furniture Store. DENNYS & MOSSOP. Solicitors and Notaries Public. Hougkong, 81st March, 1888.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LINDON AND SINGAPORE.

"GLENFRUIN" having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, are being landed, at their risk into the Godowns of the Underthe 17th day of April, 1883, on the Premises, signed; whence ** from the Wharves or Boats. delivery may be obtained.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice

to the contrary be given before FOUR P.M. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 16th instant will be subject to rent, No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 9th April, 1883.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP "SUMIDA-MARU,"

FROM KOBE AND NAGASAKI. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after TUESDAY, the 10th April

expense and risk.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. H. J. H. TRIPP, Mitsu Bishi Mail Steamship Co. Hongkong, 8th April, 1883.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready THE Steamship for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 7th April, 1883.

Goods undelivered after the 13th April, 1883, will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 9th April, 1883. STEAMSHIP "AVA."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship "ERYMANTHE. from London, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. Ontional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before TEN A.M., TO DAY, the 9th instant,

requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Goods remaining unclaimed after MONDAY, the 16th April, at Noon, will be subject to REUBEN SOLOMON has been lost, and should rent and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me before the

19th April or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, 9th April, 1983. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE STEAMSHIP "DE BAY," FROM ANTWERPAND MANILA. Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 14th day of send in their Bills of Lading for countersig- recently Coppored with 18 cz. Metal. A Goods from clongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consigness risk

and expense ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hougkong, 9th April, 1883. SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM. SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM GLASGOW, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship

Captain P. H. Loff, having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Linding to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignoes'. risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be

YUEN FAT HONG, Hongkong, 9th April, 1883. NOUVELLE COMPAGNIE WARSEIL.

LAISE DE NAVIGATION A VAPEUR. FRAISSINET & Co. INDIA AND CHINA LINE.

S. S. "GOLCONDE." ANDRAC, COMMANDER.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named. by the General Agents, and that any new Vessel from Marseilles and intermediate share, or shares, which shall have been Ports, and in connection with the "NESTA" offered in manner aforesaid and not accept. from London, are hereby informed that their ed within the time limited for that pur- Goods are being landed at their risk into pose by the General Agents shall be dis- Godown B of the Undersigned, Marine Lot No. posed of, and allotted, by the General 12, whence are from the wharves or boats delivery No Claims will be admitted after the Goods

such terms as to the amount of dividend to have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 12th instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. . Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL, & Co., Agonts.

Hongkong, 6th April, 1883 NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. AYONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Ladin solution, helders for the blind works said new shares shall be entitled, as from to the undersigned for countersignature, and the date of acceptance thereof within the meaning of Article No. 48 of the Articles landed and stored at their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Er "YANGTSE." When and so soon as the dividend for the A & F P (in diamond) 1634, I Case Soap, Order from London. certained and become payable in parsuance H M E 66 Bundles Sandslwood, from Singapore. A B E 1 Case Birds Feathers, from Singapore.

M M A 1 Case Birds Feathers." G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

NAVIGATION COMPANY LONDON VIA MARSEILLES

MOMMENCING with the Mail leaving

Hongkong on the 21st. June next, and until further notice the Company's Stramers will proceed to LONDON, via Colombo, calling The time compled on the passage to PLY-MOUTH and LONDON consequent on this change THE PROPRIETORS OF THE STEAM of route will be increased by a few hours only as the vessels will not call either at MALTA or OF THE COMPAGNIE FRANCAISE DE

PASSAGE. The rates to Managing will be the same 21.7.74 for 289 years from 8th December. FILLE Offices of the Undersigned have this as to the Italian Ports and RETURN TICKETS 1857. Registered as INLAND LOP 1. day been REMOVED to the 1st Floor of will be granted on similar terms.

Passage, apply to A. MoIVER, Superintendent. Hongkony, 18th March, 1883.

INTIMATIONS.

[PRICE 52] РЕН МАКОТ

NOTICE.

R. FREDERICK THOMAS PEARCE IVE FOSTER is admitted a Partner in our Firm from 1st instant. LINSTEAD & DAVIS.

Hongkong, 11th April, 1883. TAORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS to be advanced on Mortgage.

SHARP & Co., 13. Queen's Road, Opposite to the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China. Hougkong, 11th April, 1883.

TO BE LET. T ATE "NOVELTY STORE" in Bank Buildings ROSE VILLAS WEST, on Bouhom and Robinson Roads. Furnished. GODOWNS, East and West.

Small HOUSES, Praya West. Apply to SHARP & Co. Hongkong, 11th April, 1883.

TO GET. NYO. 4. OLD BAILEY STREET. No. 6. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, lately 1883, will be landed and stored at Consigness' occupied by Pacific Mail S. S. Co. No. 7. GARDEN ROAD, at present occupied by Messrs. Dootjen & Co., and will be vacant on the 30th June next.

No. 25A, PRAYA CENTRAL. DAVID SASSOON. SONS & Co. Hongkong, 11th April, 1883.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON, HAVRE, AND HAMBURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL. (Taking Cargo at through rates for NEW YORK.)

"MERIONETHSHIRE." Read, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports at DAYLIGHT, TO-MORROW, the 12th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON. BELL &-Co., Hongkong, 11th April 1883.

FOR MANILA DIRECT. THE Spanish Steamer "ÆOLUS," Captain Aldecoa, is Postpoued till TO-MORROW, the 12th instant, at Four P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DUNN, MELBYE & Co. Hongkong, 10th April, 1883. THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY. LIMITED.

NOTICE

TOTICE is hereby given that ORIGINAL SCRIP CERTIFICATE No. 1973, dated June. 1889, for Three SHARES in the above Company, standing in the name of the same not be projuced before the 9th May Next, a Duplicate thereof will be issued to REUBEN SOLOMON, and no transaction taking place under the said Original Scrip Certificate No. 19.3 will be recognized by the Company.

- By Order, D. McLAURIN, Acting Secrotary. flongkong, 10th April, 1883.

YACHT FOR SALE. signees of Cargo are hereby requested to Wood, nearly New, Copper-fastened and Price \$250 with a Gig and all other Appurtenances complete.

Mr. BOWLER. 21. Lower Wyndham Street. Four doors below "Daily Press" Office, Hon kong, 9th April, 1883.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TEXTH OFFINARY GENERAL : MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Head Office, Shanghai, on MON-DAY, the 16th instant, at Half-past Two o'clock p.m., for the presentation of the Report of the Directors and Accounts for the hulf-year ending 31st Decomber last, the Election of Directors and Auditors, an ladeolaration of Dividends for the year 1 82.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 3rd to the 16th instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Court of Directors,

HERBERT S. MORKIS. Shanghai, 2nd April, 1883. NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Head Office, Shanghai, at Three o'clock P.M., on MONDAY, the 16th instant, when the Special Resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting, hold on THURSDAY, the 29th ultime, will be submitted for confirmation.

By Order of the Court of Directors. HERBERT S. MORRIS. Secretary. Shangbai, 2nd April, 1883. BREWER has just received A Quantity of New Juvenile BOOKS

SCRAP ALBUMS. CHIT BOOKS. PHOTOGRAPH FRAMES. Mackinnon Pens. FINE ART Goods. NEW BOOKS. BILTHDAY CARDS. FANCY STATIONERY. PHOTO ALBUMS FOR CABINETS ONLY.

New Music. SKETCHING BOOKS. NEW FANCY GOODS. . 10 Per Cent, for Cash.

W. BREWER, Bookseller, &c. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with Resolution No. 2, passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held at the City Hall on the 30th December: 1882, all Shures not taken up and the First Call paid, on or before the 30th June next, will be disposed of by the Directors in such manner as STEAM COMMUNICATION DIRECT TO in their discretion they shall think best in the interests of the Company.

By Order of the Board of Directors. T. JACKSON. Chief Manager. Hongkoug, 4th April, 1883. IMPORTANT NOTICE.

RICE MILLS, VIZ: SAIGON, AND OF THE BEG leave to bring to the Norice of In-

RIZERIE A VAPEUR DE CHOLEN (A. SPOONER, Ed. RENARD & Co.) No. 43, Queen's Road Central, above Achee's For Further Particulars as to Freight and rantes the quantity of Paddy stipulated for in their Contracts, allowing & Coab on Contracts Price for each catty of Paddy, contained in the average cample as taken on colivery of the Rice. [538] exceeding the percentage agreed apon.

EDWARD BUART'S well-known

HOME CURED SUFFOLK BACON. HAMS, and BATH CHAPS. and have arranged to receive regular monthly

FRUIN," and to prevent disappointment, as and the first step in this direction should the Supply is limited, we shall be glad to be the formation of a safe and practicable receive Orders as soon as possible, or to open trade route, the pioneer of a railway, to a list of Customers who may desire to be bring Kweichow, and Yunnan within reach regularly supplied.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, 11th April, 1883. PIANOFORTES.

F ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have been appointed A sents in Hongkong for the

PIANOFORTES. manufactured by BROADWOOD, COLLARD & COLLAND, and CHAPPELL,

of London, and they have en view, for Sale or Hire, a large selection of various styles, in which the climate has been highly praised. Comprising:

COTTAGE PIANOS and PIANINOS, expressly for this Climate. They have also for sale CHAPPELS's lalest

MUSIC, including "IOLANTHE," GILBERT & SULLIVAN'S latest OPER 1. PIANOS tuned and kept in thorough

repair by an experiousel Tourse from Massra BRONDWOOD & SONS. Hongkong, 36th March, 1883.

NOTICE.

S. WATSON FAMILY AND DISPENSING CHEMISTS,

By Appointment to His Excellency the Go vernor and his Royal Highness the DUKE OF EDINBURGH, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS

PERFUMERS. PATENT MEDICINE VENDORS DRUGGISTS' SUNDRYMEN.

AERATED WATER MAKERS. PASSENGER SHIPS SUPPLIED.

NOTICE. To avoid delay in the execution of Orders it is particularly requested that all business, communications be addressed to the Firm, A. S. WATSON and Co., or

HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS Communications on Editorial matters should be addressed "The Editor," and those on business "The of which were caused by fever, the others by and T. C. and M. and T. C. rules. Manager," and not to individuals by name-Correspondents are requested to forward their mame and address with communications addressed to the Editor, not for publication, but as evidence of good

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be sout before if a.m. on the day of publication. After that hour the supply is limited. MARRIAGE.

On the Grd instant, at St. John's Cathedral: by the Rev. W. Jennings, Colonial Chaplain, FANNY, daughter of R. E. Page, Southampton, England, to WAITER WILLIAM BREWER, Houghong.

Помочома. Арки 11тн. 1983.

Authough there is no doubt that the province of Yunnan contains rich conner mines and has considerable mineral wealth, yet it ! is pretty clear, from Mr. Hosie's account of the Eastern partion, that the soil is poor and naturally nuproductive. That observant traveller was evidently disappointed in what he saw of the country; even the capital failed to come up to his expectations. Mr Hosts pertinently remarks : _ o On the "eastern sea-board the name Yunnan has "a silver ring about it, probably owing to observed in Yunnan, though very numerous and sometimes large, were inferior in quality to those produced in Kweichow. The country tory, on account of the fine barbour of is very mountainous, the roads so-called are Sandakan, and the admirable position of the of the most primitive possible description, the ascents being often toilsome and dangerous, steady progress, which we should be sorry residering travel Cost arduous and difficult. The population, Mr. Hosie states, is exceed. ingly scanty, and the proportion of the cultivated to the uncultivated land is so small as to hardly deservé mention. A little later on he observes: -"I have been exceedingly 12th inst. "disappointed with the eastern part of Yun-"daily over barron, red-soiled highlands, Shanghai. " with here and there cultivated valleys, but "of no great extent. Kweichow compares " favourably with anything we have yet seen-Nor did the traveller gather more favourable impressions as he proceeded. The villages and towns were mean and dilapidated, the country was to a large extent stony and impracticable. In one place, however, Mr Hosis learned from a miner that there were silver mines in the mountains to the west some 70 li distant, but they were not then being worked. He also passed a large consignment of red copper bound for Peking. About 400 ponies and habit is almost exclusively confined to the Chimules were conveying it from Tung-chu'an nese. Fu in Yunnan to Pai-shai Ting, in Kwei-Yunnan, and the mineral is both plentiin Yunnan. He says that coal and iron Kan-shui; there are quickeilver mines with. cinnabar is also found in some parts. In "an immense coal district. The black mineral "crops up overywhere, and heaps of coal " longed to any one who cared to cart their

luctive waste, as many persons have imagined, Mr. Hosan asserts that all that Kweichow requires to make it one of the richest provinces in the Empire is a population, "and a population with more onergy than "that possessed by the present squatters on "its soil." Here then, in the south-west of China is a field for the employment of the surplus population of some of theother provinces, where the mullions crowd together so closely that the struggle for existence is painfully keen. The Government of Peking may, with udvantage, turn their attention to the develop. A Shipment has acrived per S. S. "Guen- ment of these long neglected territories, of the trader and capitalist, and at the same time assist labourers to migrate thither from other provinces.

Among the numerous advantages possessed by Sabah or North Borneo, it was claimed by the Company on the formation of the settlement that the territory was, for its latitude, remarkably healthy. Visitors and residents have since added, their testimony to the truth of this assertion, and accounts have more than once appeared in the Press This is true more especially of Sandakan, A BROADWOOD'S CONCERT GRAND, which seems to have been very free from dissease, and to have proved very agreeable as a place of residence to Europeans. It is, however, inevitable that any new settlement in the tropics must be liable to fever more or less when the soil and vegetation are first disturbed. Last autumn, too, cholera, which had been epidemic in the Java Archipelago, found its way to Kudat and Sandakan, and there were some fatal cases, - At that time Kudat was without any adequate supply of water, and the health of the community at that port was not very satisfactory in consequence, there being many cases of fever there. A correspondent of the Australasian happening to pay a visit to North Borneo about that time, wrote an ar- sult of the drawing as to which parties play toticle detailing his rather stender experiences. and giving his views, based on a very limited observation, as to the productions and prospacts of the territory. He painted a rather dismal picture of the infant settlement, and stated that the mortality at Kudat averaged two per day. Mr. E. P. Guerrz, Assistant Resident of Kudat, has written a letter to the Australasian, in which he lays the mor-SHIPS MEDICINE CHEST'S REFITTED, Tality returns for Kadat before the public, and invites attention to the exceptional circumstances and the present doub-rate. He says that from the formation of the settlement in December, 1881, to the present time there has been a regular register of deaths kept, and these amount to 71, out of which 46 took place during the cholora epidemic. During the five months from November to March, only ten deaths have accurred, two is disqualified. To be played according to A. E.

contracted at Batavia and other well settled parts of the Dutch Indies. Mr. Gueritz adds that the local fever seldom lasts long, and is easily treated. As Mr. Guerrz justly complains, it is not fair "to stigmatise the settlement as unhealthy "and one in which 'fever and cholera are chronic." The Assistant Resident goes on to make the following sensible remarks:-" Fever has to be looked for in a new settlement, and it is a "matter of congratulation that Kudat has suffered so little from it. As time goes on, " Eastern Archipelago and compare favour "ably with Sarawak, Singapore, and Hong-"kong." We are glad to hear that water is now being supplied to the town of Kudat in quantities sufficient for the wants of a far greater number than the thousand souls constituting its present population. surrounding jungle is also being gradually More comforts will soon be obtainable, the residents better housed and shaltered from the sun, and the place be more thoroughly drained, "its remoteness." Even the poppy crops he No doubt the rapidly rising town of Elopura will continue to be the most popular settlement in the North Borneo Company's terri-

various ordinary diseases which prevail at all

times in every clime. No case of cholera has

Telegrams for Bangkok can go forward by mail closing at Singapore at 1t a.m. to-morrow, the

as that published in the Australasian.

"nan, through which our road lies. We pass Raven, arrived here yesterday afternoon from

vesterday morning for Saigon. Real property in Shanghui appears to be still assistance, she returned in the afternoon. During

increasing in value. The Mercury says that the | the day the wrock was visited by many launches, property known as the German Consulate pro- and all was done that was possible in the way of explains that there had been a misunderstand-50,000 was re-sold the other day for Tls. 58,500. In the course of Mr. Hosie's account of his

recent journey through the provinces of Kweichow and Yunnan, he noticed numbers of Minotzu, or aborigines, in Kweichow, and saw some of them selling pige, eggs, bamboo-shoots, veget. ables, ropes, and opium in the market at Mao. k'ou. He adds that they produce opium in large

chow, to be forwarded on. Mr. Hoste likewise day morning, taking on board the ship's compa-The troopship Thalia left for England yesterpassed within a few li of some coal mines in ay of the corvette Curaçou which has been ze. hour on her trial trip. She was sister ship to Bourchier, Hamond-Grome, Johnston, and Gedge; Navigating-Lieut. Hopkins, Fleet Sur. the matter will be before the public. abound; copper may be had not far from good Constonay, Paymaster McCall, Chief Euin the district of Tang-tzu, about 100 Midshipmen J. H. Fox and S. St. J. Farquhar, one part of his dinry, Mr. Hosin says :- M. Green, Chief Engineer of the Wivern; Mr. "The whole day's journey has been through S. B. Williams. Chief Engineer of the Midge; and Mr. H. D. Capper, Gunner of the Eake, Sur. "dust lie along the road side as if they be. medical attendance for those on board, and he will return from Suez by mail steamer. Capt. Long, late of the Curaçoa, left yesterday morn. "away." Instead of being a barron, unpro- ling by the French mail steamer.

Roturn of visitors to the City Hall Museum for the week ending 8th April :-EUROPHAN, CHINESE,

100919 Major-General Sweedland Mainwaring, late of

the Madras Staff Corps, and formerly of the 2nd Madras Native Infantry, died on the 15th Feb., at Wieshaden. The desensed entered the Army in 1839, and obtained a lieutenancy in 1842, in which year he served with the Expeditionary Force in China, and was present at the storming and capture of Chin-king-fu and the investment of Nauking. He was promoted to a captaincy in 185%, became major in 1861, lieutenant-colonel in 1865, colonel in 1870, and major-general in

At three o'clock vesterday afternoon H.E. the Governor paid a visit to the Gaol, accompanied by the Colonial Secretary, the Hon, W. H. March; the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Mr. C. V. Creagh; the Aide-de-Camp, Lieut. Vyvvan; and the Private Secretary, Mr. R. Ma guire. His Excellency and party were conducted over every part of the building by Mr. Hayward, the Acting Superintendent, and at the close of his inspection Sir George Bowen expressed great satisfaction at the condition of the establishment and its arrangements.

About three months ago we reported a robberg which had taken place at the Recreation Club, | Secretary, and Licut. Vyvyan, A.D.C. when over \$200 was taken from the steward's l room. The thief was not discovered, though suspicion was directed to one of the Club conlins. box belonging to Tung Afun, the boat builder, having been broken open and \$10 abstracted therefrom. Suspicion immediately turned to charged on Sunday for laziness and gambling, with orders not to come on the premises again He removed his effects, but returned for a visit in the evening. Tung Afun went in search of coolie told him to wait a few days and he would see about it. The man was given into oustody and the police recognised him as an old gad bird, who compounded his public career in 1871, since which time he had been whipped and twice deported. The case came before Mr. Wodehouse yesterday morning and was remanded.

The list of entries for the forthcoming lawn tennis handican is now complete, together with the handicapping of the competitors and the regether. The handicappers have classed the men by letters, the best being classed A, and they range away to G. We append the entries as they will play, with their classes by the letters -Marshall and Rutter, D. against Foss and Garfitt, E: Dayton and Essex. D. a minst Cot. tell and Irving, E; Coxon and Allen, B, against Aubert and Palmer. C. Gordon and Hazeland. E. against Vyvyan and Denison, G; McLeod and Bird, B, against Woolley and R. G. Alford, G Jones and Van Buren, A, against Rice and Blair, C: Forrest and D'Aeth, C. aguinst Hare and E. Alford, D: Bunbury and Newington, B. against Mackean and Hart. F. A will give B bisques, C 1 15 and one bisque, D15, E 15 and two bisques, F 1 30 and two bisques, and G 30; B will give C two bisques, D ½ 15 and one bisque, E 15. F. 15 and two bisques, and G & 30 and one bisque; C will give D two bisques, E & 15 and one bisque, F 15, and G 15 and two bisques; D wil give E two bisques. F & 15 and one bisque, and G 15: E will give F two bisques, and G & 15 and one bisque; and F will give G two bisques. Ties to be played off on the Cricket Ground before the 20th inst., and if a player withdraw his partner

LOSS OF THE STEAMER "MINARI CASTLE."

been recorded during the past four months, and the type of fever prevalent is mild intermittent, of a less severe character than that We regret to have to report the loss of an other steamer of the well known Castle Line, belonging to Messrs. Skinner and Co., namely, the Minard Castle, Captain R. Skinner, which arrived out here from home a short time since, and has been running between this port and Sniger while awaiting the ten season. The Minard Castle left this harbour at about nine o'clock yesterday morning, in ballast, for Saigon, and had reached the Island of Chang Chow, about nine miles out, when she struck on a sunken sock off that island and is now submerged so that only the upper portion of her funnel and musts are to be seen above water, and it is feared she will prove a hopoless loss. The rock on which she struck and the clearance of jungle is proceeded lies off the point which juts out on the island " with, this disease will disappear, and there on the opposite side of the Customs Station "isno reason why Kudat should not hold its there, and is marked on the chart as being place among the healthy places of the between a quarter and half a mile distant from the shore of the island, but we are informed that it is not quite correctly marked on the obart, the real distance being be tween half and three quarters of a mile from the shore. The steamer Hungarian, Capt. Allison on her way here from Saigon, met the ill-lated vessel, and noticing later on that she appeared to be in difficulties, turned about, and went to her assistance, and picked up her crew, who had cleared and the place is being improved daily. Left at once in a boat, and brought them on to this port. The Hungarian remained by the sinking vessel until she went down, about threequarters of an hour after the time she struck The Minard Castle struck on her starboard bilge, causing, we believe, a large breach in her bottom. and the went down bow foremost until only the stern was above water, and that sank gradually so that the vessel is upon the bottom in a perfeetly upright position, with her head pointing town, but Kudat is evidently also making east. She must have drifted considerably, as the position in which she lies is about a mile and half to see checked by the spread of reports such distant from the rock is a S.E. direction. It is a hard case for her crew, for they saved little or nothing of their effects, and they landed in this colony, bringing scarcely anything but what they stood in. They left immediately a boat could be lowered, as they were in four of her going over. This did not happen, however, and as it turned The German gunboat Wolf, Commander Von out, she remained above water long enough to have subbled themento have saved most of their effects. On the news of the disaster reaching Admiral The French frigate La Victorieuse, 14. Captain | Willes, that officer, as speedily as possible, des. de la Batie, flagship of Admiral Meyer, left here patched the sloop Albairess to the spot, but find. ing that there was no opportunity of rendering

> The Minard Castle was a fine new steamer. and arrived here on her first voyage on the Winterberry declares he shall never have her He had been convicted of largeny, twice before, 26th May last year; she is of 1,596 tons burden, niese, and, disgusted with his perfidious conduct, and was sentenced to six months hard labour. and her dimensions are as follow :- Length, 332 makes herself over to the faithful Babblebrook. feet over all. 38 feet beam, and 26 feet depth but the widow assures Middlebrook-who acof hold. Her gross register is 2,550 tens, and cepts the position she has placed him in—that she could carry 4,000 tons of tes. She was he shall have her friendly aid, and the curtain built by Messrs. R. Dixon & Co., of Middles. drops on that gay Lothario being confident of at borough, her engines by Messrs. T. Rickard. last achieving his destiny, after twenty-four non & Sons, and she made 13.6 knots an subsequent attempts.

saving boats and any loose gear which floated

from the wreck.

will be given, and all the facts connected with judiciously apportioned. The clever, brilliant, gipeer Turner, Assistant Engineers Rees and of the Hungarian, is as follows:-"Had moderate Mrs. Bernard. The part is a heavy one, and S.E. wind and fine weather till the afternoon calls for the exercise of great histrionic talent similar offence, was fined \$5. li from Kwei-yang Fu, the capital; and and Clerke W. P. Penny and T. R. Price. The of the 9th, when had fresh N.E. wind and thick to do itsfall, justice; but in the hands of Mrs. other officers leaving by this vesselare .- Mr. A. rainy weather. Anchored off the Ladrones at Bernard it was certain to be a success. Not Wilson, clerk, from the Victor Emanuel; Mr. Q. 10.30, 9th, and proceeded on the following morn- point was lost, and every situation was made ing at daylight; at 10, o'clock sighted the the most of. The "lesson" was taught with he was sentenced to three months hard labour. steamer Minard Castle in a sinking condition, untiting perseverance, and the scenes with the geon Russell, of the Victor Emanuel, accompa. having struck on the rock off Chang-Chow Is. "enemy" were most admirably carried out. The nies the Thalia as far as Suez in order to provide land; stopped and got all the crow on board. final and gonnide love making scene, when the Before leaving, the vessel sauk, the top of her inspt pupil has at length fully learned his lesson funnel being just above water. We then pro- was a fine study, in which much subtle opeded and arrived here at noon." feeling was veiled beneath the admirably

TATEST TELEGRAMS. REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." er bastion extersion, australasia, and CHINA TELEGRAPH COMPANY'S LINE. Lonnon, 9th April, 1883. ARREST OF A DYNAMITER.

An American dynamiter has been arrested. I has been discovered that many of the prisoners are largely provided with American money.

THE BUFFS' AMATEUR DRAMATIO PERFORMANCE AT THE THEATRE ROYAL.

Last night at the Tuestre Royal, City Hall the Buffs' Dramatio Amateurs, with the assistance of several lady amateurs well known on the local stage, produced Mr. Charles Smith Chelt nam's comedy in three acts "A Lesson in Love. After the long interval that has elapsed since the last representation by the Hongkong A.D.C. the performance last night was an exceedingly welcome one to the residents, who were able from the east, to anticipate a most enjoyable evening. The house was well filled in all parts, and amongst those present were His Excellency the Governor, Lady Bowen, the Misses Bowen and Miss Lee, with Mr. R. Maguire, Private

St. James's Theatre, London, in December, 1861 On Sunday night or Monday mornin another with Mr. Charles Mathews in the part of Orlando theft was committed on the Club premises, a Middlemark and Mrs. Charles Mathews in that of Mrs. Sutherland. It is a cleverly written comedy, the dialogue, being crisp and sparkling, the same coolie who was suspected before. The | and he situations are well contrived and effective. man, whose name is Pun Ahoi, had been dis- The comedy is eminently adapted for smateur representation. The plot is a slender one. The scene is laid at the Bellevne, Boarding House, Winkleborough-on-the-Sands, in the autumu of the man, whom he accused of the theft, and the 1864, and the curtain rises upon the drawingroom of the establishment in which Mrs. Sutherland, a young widow, and Miss Edith Leslie, bor friend, a young and beautiful beiress, are engaged in conversation. Edith has seen and made great impression on the ansceptible heart of Mr. Orlando Middlemark, and Mrs. Sutherland is rallying her on the fact, when Mr. Babble. brook, a friend and admirer of Edith's aunt; and an inveterate old gossip-who has been nick-"the Newspaper" by the ladies-comes in and gives them a piece of news, the arrival of a fresh visitor. Edith and Babblebrook retire presently, and the visitor shortly afterwards comes in and turns out to be a Captain Freeman, an old friend of Mrs. Sutherland's who his just returned from India with the Victoria Cross. He tells her that he has returned to England with the intention of settling down and marry. To that end he begs his old friend to find him a wife and to teach him how to win her, as although equal to anything in the field, he feels quite at a loss how to lay siege to the heart of guide and ally, and promises to introduce him to a suitable parti, young, pretty, rich, and arphan, staying in the same house in charge of her aunt -to wit Edith Legile, and thus commences the His attitudes, his gestures, his laughable saides. "Lesson in Love." Orlando Middlemark arrives soon afterwards, and, being an old friend of Freeman's, they interchange confidences, and just as the Captain has informed Middlemark the hand of Miss Leslie, and Orlando has re-

of the fact that he intends entering the lists for torted that he also had for three days aspired to the honour; Mrs. Sutherland re-enters, and is introduced to Middlemark. In the course of the conversation that ensues, Middlemark learns | them a hearty evation. that he and his friend are to be rival suitors for Edith Loslie, and that he will have the charming widow ranged against him as the ally of sets. Captain Freeman. Confident in his own powers. of love-making and strategy, he ascepts the gauntlet thrown down, and thereupon ensues a war to the knife between them, in which, though the Captain is a lay figure. Mrs. Sutherland comes off victorious, and the impressionable Orlando discovering that she is a widow, abaudons his pursuit of Edith, declares himself ready to a sist his friend the Captain to gain her hand, and convinces Mrs. Sutherland of his sincerity by protesting to Edith that some ardent verses written by himself to her were the production of the gallant officer's muse. In the the house rent, and he did so. Subsequently meantime, while carrying on his schemes, Orlando he lent her \$250, and got a receipt for the had, through the devices of the wilv widow. been induced to pay some little attention to Edith's elderly but remantic spinster aunt, Miss tiff it was set up that the defendant had made Anastasia Winterberry, who, in her vanity, had

taken them in earnest, and reviled him as a monster when he at length asked her good offices with her niece. Fired with the new-born interest, Orlando again seeks the gushing Anastasia, and tells her that his former application was a mistake; he intended to solicit her interest on behalf of Captain Freeman, who wished to pay his addresses to Edith. Having, in his eagerness to aid his quondam rival, again revived Miss Winterberry's amorous hopes, the deceitful Orlando informs the Captain that his affair is settled. Miss Winterberry having given her consent to his marriage with Edith. To Mr. Middle. mark's surprise he finds his efforts less warmly appreciated than he expected, the Captain telling him he had "gone a-head too quickly." Orlando. however, pooh-poohs the idea, and begs his friend to render service for service, and ask for him the hand of Mrs. Sutherland, Very reluctantly, and after some demur, Freeman agrees, but finds the task rather difficult, and wholly opposed to his inclinations. He endeavours, however, to plead his friend's cause, but somehow breaks down in the middle and pleads his own, becoming suddenly enlightened of the fact that he has all slong loved Leonera Sutherland and bence could not play the lover to Edith. Middlemark entering discovers the state of affairs, the Captain being then on his knees to Mrs. Sutherland, and is at first inclined to do something desperate; but at this juncture Babblebrook and Miss Winter berry arrive on the scene, and the widow with the admirable tact she had displayed throughout

ing and that it was Orlando who was in love with Edith and had asked her to interceds with Miss Winterberry for her niece's hand. Miss but was seen coming down again and arrested.

Turning from the play to the performance, we a number of baskets of sait on the footway in lieved by the recent arrivals, also the old crew of the Bothwell Castle. A court of inquiry will are glad to be able to record a great and unequithe Victor Emanuel, which have been similarly no doubt, be held as to the circumstances at. vocal success. The cast, as we have said, was a ful and cheap. In Kweichow, however, he relieved. The following are the officers of the tending her loss, when the capta as explanation very strong one, and the characters were most and entirely captivating Mrs. Sutherland was causing a stoppage of the passing of refuse down. The report furnished us by Captain Allison represented with inimitable case and grace by be prejudicial to health.

assumed raillery by which the unfortunate Captain was goaded into passionate carn est. It was a genuine triumph of art, and showed the accomplished actrees. The applause that grooted Mrs. Bernard's frequent telling hits was most hearty and spontaneous, though in the Charge Room, and he was sent to good for quickly bushed. Mrs. Woodbine did her best with the somewhat colourless part of Editi Leslie, and made a charming representative of the young heiress, whom she delineated with consistence throughout. Madame Chervan has often appeared on the boards at the Theatro Royal with the A.D.C., but never, we think, has she secred a more decided success than in her

graphically sketched, while her indignant. reception of Middlemark's proposal for her nices. and her eager readiness to accept his subsequent explanation were very eleverly noted and cheered the exportation of paddy. The Saigon Indopen- ish Government are on accord on this policy. to the echo. Her relation of her bathing experiences, and the evations from the naughty been unable to ascertain the amount of paddy of dangers to be encountered in Scoloc. It is true, boys of Winkleborough, plunged the house into by foreign-going vessels was 227,803 piouls, oattle; otherwise, it is certainly safe to travel roars of laughter, and her asides with the per- value \$266,948, or about one twenty first part of the country marmed, simply obtaining permisrisibility of the audience. Her morning get up was the value. In 1881 the quantity reached In conclusion, he considers that there is a great fearful and wonderful in its gorgeous colouring, and caused much merriment when she first came and one twelfth of the value. For 1882 the pro- Schucke, will reap profit. Straits Times. on in it. Mr. Holmehas already made his mark portion is one-sixth in quantity and more than in Hongkong in the character of the Blighted one eighth in value, that is to say, the propor-Being," and it was confidently expected that he itself in two years. This large proportion of "A Lesson in Love" was first performed at would prove not less successful in the rôle of paddy in 1882 accounts for the low average price Orlando Middlemark. Nor was the expectation of the rice expected; in 1879 the average price disappointed. Mr. Helme proved quite equal to the representation of the character, though is a trying one to sustain. He was, 1877, the figures being \$7,311,454 in 1877 and 464 pkgs. sundries. For London-334 bales perhaps, sometimes a trifle too rapid in his delivery, but that detracted little from what was unquestionably a powerful and able representadepended upon his readiness and the excellence of his hy-play. He showed a most perfect realisation of the part of the volatile Orlando, and

throughout the play thoroughly identified himself with the character he represented. divided the honours of the evening with Mrs. Bernard. The part of Captain Freeman found an advantage than he showed last night. The rôle of the shy and retiring officer may be easily over acted, and this Capt. Davis was careful to avoid. dering pupil of his stannoh ally and friend, and he succeeded most effectively in unconsciously several occasions when arged to press his suit told by Middlemark that Miss Winterberry bad accepted him as suitor for her niece was cleverly simulated, and in his avowal of his love for his exports to Annam an I Tonquin have declined in monitress he displayed marked dramatic power. Mr. H. Somerset has given several proofs of his ability as a comedian. His personation o pronouncing a most unqualified success. He never for one moment forgot that he was the old gossip; he merged himself entirely in the part. all apparently so natural, were the result of care. ful study and a most conscientious reading of the oharacter. His final acceptance of the levely

the audience with laughter. The performance altogether went off without a single hitch, and gave much pleasure to th appreciative andience, who called the actors be- 25 to 62. fore the curtain on its final fall, and awarded The details of the import trade show little

The string band of the Buffs was present and

SUPREME COURT. 10th April .

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE RUSSELL ROZARIO V. BRITTO, \$275.

Mr. Dannys appeared for the plaintiff. The claim was for money lent. The defendant the widow of the late Mr. Britto, of th French Dispensary. The statement of the plaintiff was that on one occasion the defendant asked him to lend her \$25 to pay the balance of money, which was put in, but the defendant wholly denied the receipt of the money and the giving of the acknowledgment. For the plainseveral statements with respect to the claim but that this was the first time she had denied the receipt of the money, one of her former state, ments being that the money was a gift; and was suggested that she was defending the claim solely in consequence of a quarrel she had had with the plaintiff's wife. It was also said that the \$250 was borrowed in order to pay an account due to Dr. Gomes, but the defendant said that could not be so because whereas the money was said to have been lent on the 14th December she settled with Dr. Gomes on the 2nd or 3rd. Dr. Gomes, however, was sent for and he said he received payment of his account on the 14th. With reference to the \$25 it was said the money was handed to Mr. Andrade, the apothecary in the dispensary, but Mr. Andrade denied that the money was given to him. With respect to the receipt put in, the defendant's son, a youth, by whom the document was said to have been made out, said he had no recollection of having written it end he did not think it was in

l bis writing. His Lordship said that while he was inclined to believe that the defendant had received the money, the plaintiff had not fully made out his case, and he must have further evidence in the matter. It had been stated in the course of the case that the defendant had made a statement to Father Burghignoli in respect to the dispute. and his Lordship suggested that that gentle. man's evidence should be obtained.

The case was adjourned until this morning. POLICE COURT 10th April. BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE A HARDENED YOUNG THIEF. Wong Ayan, a lad of sixteen years, was

before the court on a charge of stasting a Jacket early yesterday morning. The prisoner crept up to the top floor of a house in Kwai Wa Lane, and took the isoket. BREACH OF OPTUM ORDINANCE.

convicted of being in possession of propared opium without a licence on the 9th inst., and he was fined \$5, his opium and utensils for preparing it being forfeited. Wan Afo, of No. 163, Praya West, admitted causing an obstruction to passengers by placing

Ma Akan, broker, of No. 16, Heung Lane, was

NUISANCE. Lum Yang Fat, of No. 40, Hing Loong-street. was summoned by Inspector Adams, on a charge the mast, and, with revolvers, beat off a prahu of allowing his drains to become choked, thus of armed men who had succeeded in wounding the spout, and a consequent muisance, likely to The defendant, who was fined last week for a

front of his house, and he was fined \$5.

Wong Awa, coolie, was convicted of the larceny of a jacket belonging to a painter, named Poon Ahi, living at Wanchai, on the 8th instant, and

BEFORE CAPT. H. G. THOMBETT, R.N.

opium pips and a brass tobacco pipe belonging to Lissa decidedly considers the time has arrived an immats of a brothel at No. 122, Square-street, for the introduction of sugar on a large scale on on let inst., and he was sent to gaol for a month, the Island of Sooloo, and whilst advising Cap-

UNLICENSED OPIUM DIVAN. charged, on remend, with keeping an unlicensed opium divan in Wa Tuk lane, on the 7th inst. He denied being the master of the house, but he had partly admitted that he was the master a month in default of payment of a fine of \$20.

THE TRADE OF SAIGON FOR 1882

From the returns of the Saigon Chamber of Commerce it appears that the total value of the foreign trade of Saigon during the year 1882 was \$21,037,150, showing an increase of a million and a half on that of 1879, which was the most prosperous year previously known. This increase is, moreover, more considerable than at first portrayal of Miss Anastasia Winterberry. She sight appears, for whereas in 1879 the value of depicted the elderly and remantic spinster to the rice exported was \$10,360,254 for 6,010,274 the life; the simpers, the affectation, the gush of the would-be girlish aunt were most accounts for a value of \$8,767,267. There is, therefore, an important increase; both in the desirous that Mr. de Lissa should open un his other heads. In rice there has been an increase only in quantity, which shows the increase in Schucke's estate. In fact, both he and the Spandant, from which we take this summary, has Mr. de Lissa langles at the desperate accounts tinacions Babblebrook frequently excited the the total expertation of rice and one thirtieth of sion from both sides, viz. Spanish and Sultan. more than one-ninth of the total quantity of rice in the wake of the intrapid pioneur. Captain was \$1.70 while last year it was only \$1.40. have increased by nearly two million dollars since silks, 14 cases pongees, 35 cases star aniseed, and

\$9,224,735 for 1882. The provinces of France silk, 76 bales waste silk, 5,647 boxes tea, 680 figure in the total for 1882 for \$1,344.432 as bales bemp, 1,179 bage coffee, and 341 pkgs. against \$996,409 in 1881, an increase of \$348,028. sandries. Singapore figures for \$3,132,074, as against tion. The success, of many striking situations \$2,678,259 in the previous year, showing an increase of \$453,849; while the imports from China reach a total of \$3,224.918, which shows an increase of \$486,635. Annam and Tonquin also account for \$688,612 worth of various articles, showing an increase of \$234,964. The He total increase in the value of the import trade of 1882 over that of 1881 was \$1,534,443. It has often been said, and not without reason,

that the trade and vitality of Saigon depend excellent exponent in Captain Newsham Davis. almost entirely on the export of rice. The In-We have never seen this gentleman to better dépendant notes with regret that the exportation of general merchandise, after having doubled in 1881, has fallen off by about \$500,000 in 1882, the value for the latter year being \$3,045,148. This figure, however, still represents an increase He was uniformly the well-meaning but blun- of \$1,200,000 on that for 1880 and of \$1,650,000 on that for 1879. The export trade to France rose from \$297,592 to \$30 t,856, an increase of \$5,274; betraying his lurking passion for his Leonora on \$1,451,263, a falling off of \$19,497; for China that for Singapore fell from \$1,471,160 to the decrease has been more marked, the value with Edith. The aunoyance he displayed when of the exports to that country having fallen from \$1,198,633 to \$367,343, showing a falling off of \$331,290. Notwithstanding the establish.

ment of a regular line by the Messagerics, the value from \$428,975 to \$381,801, showing a difference of \$44,174. In 1882 there entered the port of Saigon 35 sailing vessels of 16,446 tons, while in 1881 there woman. She agrees to act as the gallant officer's Babblebrook last night we have no hesitation in were 44 vessels of 28,548 tons; but on the other hand 334 steamers of 389,786 tons entered in 1832 as avainst 306 of 179,240 tons in 1881. These figures do not include the mail boats, nor vessels putting into the port in distress or for accidental reasons. In 1881 the French flag was represented only by 13 sailing vessels and 2 steamers; in 1882 it had 6 sailing vessels and 31 steamers. It is, however, always the English flag that makes

the most frequent appearance. In 1882 the Eng-Anastaria was irresistibly comic, and convulsed lish flag was represented by 11 sailing vessels and 203 steamers, while in 1881 the corresponding figures were only 8 sailing vessels and 166 steamers. The increase in German steamers is also considerable, the number having risen from

care on the part of French producers to provide themselves with markets. Thus cot. ton goods, the import value of which in 1882 played some pleasing selections between the was \$1,685,904, came almost exclusively from Singapore and from English factories. In 1881 France did not figure as having imported even a single kilo. of these articles, of which she manufactures immense quantities; and in 1882 she only supplied the colony with \$2,120 worth. It would be easy to show the same result with regard to other articles, often the most important, such as tissues, irou, paper, etc. Of the total exports France only took one-

tenth. The two principal markets for our prodraw our imports, are Singapore and Hongkong, which between them absorb two thirds of our products; but from those ports these products are distributed by the operations of commerce over the whole world.

 $m{A}$ VISIT TO SOOLOO.

Mr. B. C. de Lissa has recently returned from trip to Scoloo, the present residence of the Sultan. In speaking of the appearance of the Island as to soil and climate for tropical products, he is very enthusiastic. He estimates the amount of land available for agriculture at about 200,000 acres, and such quality of soil as s seldom met with in the world, being volcanio in origin, with enormous depth. The Island is sleared of heavy timber, and fruit trees of gigantic growth take its place, and the public collect the fruit at their will and leisure for shipment to Sandakan or other neighbouring ports. There is a considerable trade between Socioo and Singapore in beobs de-mer and pearl shells. and a few pearls, whilst poultry is now a recognised article for export to Borneo, Mr. De Lissa proceeded in the steamer Banca, and received every kindness from the Captain. Don Pedro v Aguila Garcia, a Spanish gentleman, possessing a pleasing exterior and of reputed high attainments and connected with the Philippine Gov. ornment, was a congenial fellow voyager, and on arriving at the Spanish town courteously introduced him to the Governor. During the interview, that gentleman explained many matters connected with their occupation of Scoloo. was necessary to them to have a military station there in order to protect the Philippine Islands from the piratical attempts of the prahus belonging to the residents of the Sooloo Archipelago. They do not care especially for the occupation of the Island, but being in possession they certain-

ly would not let it pass from them to any other power. Since, recently, order is restored be tween the Scolor population and the Spanish. the Government are desirous of attracting capital for agricultural and other permits-and it is their intention to withdraw the soldier into the forts, leaving the town free for commercial and residential purposes. Captain Schucke and his family were the only European people dwelling in the interior, and that gentleman deservedly nossesses the esteem of both the Spanish and the Scoloos. He owns a splendid estate, with good titles from both the Spanish Government and the old Sultan, and at present may be able o look forward to amassing riches. His staple product is cocoa but Manila hemp also adds to his profits: The soil is unexceptionally fine for angar, and Mr. de Lissa has atrongly orged him o plant and manufacture this profitable article. A new phase has also opened out to this estate I as a cocca-plant nursery for Sandakan and its districts, and already a good contract for supply of plants has been completed. The care and intelligence bestowed by the captain and his son Edward on this nursery, and the estate generally. leserve success.

This solitary family, dwelling alone in an unettled country, have a popularly interesting Premonent attached 70.0 72.0 63.0 63.0 69.0 50.8 52.11 84.5 history. Captain Schucke and his wife have passed through many severe trials of endurance. On many occasions, whilst at sea in the olden times they have been attacked by pirates, and on one occasion Mrs. Schucke managed to climb the centain, her husband. Such like hairbroadth escapes were of common coourrence. They have seen the inside of a Manila prison, after having been captured by a man-of-war by mistake: compensation was made, but still the prison

It is certainly a matter to admire how a sigule Suropean colonist can, by indomitable pluck, hold his own during the difficult times that have occurred in the past at Sooloo, till by force of energe be has created a fine estate, the only one on the Island, and reared a large family of youngstors, well educated for their years and Id Afat, seaman, was convicted of steeling an more than engaging in their manners. Mr. de

tain Schuoke to plant at once, he has on his Fung Achung, described as unemployed, was part applied to the Spanish Government and the Sultan of Scoloo for a large grant of land on good terms, which will be conceded, and the matter is now under negociation.

As whost, Captain Schuoke is anexceptionable, and a very happy time was spent with himself and family during the visit. Then bume the good-bye, an : ride across the Island to visit the Sultan at the Port of Maibung. Previously to starting, His Excellency the Spanish Governor, accompanied by Don Pedro y Garcia and several officers, paid a return visit to Captain Schucke and Mr. de Lisea.

The ride through the country on the intrepid Sooloo ponies was really delightful, and the coun. try passed through was beautifully watered and not to be excelled for quiet agricultural beauty. The Port of Maibung is a very dirty place. The Sultan resides in a large house he parchased from Mr. Cowie, and gave a reception and dinner to Mr. de Lissa and à la European. He is very quantity and value of all the articles under the country for agriculture, as he recognises the great benefit that has arisen to him by Captain exported in 1879, but in 1880 the amount shipped sometimes Capitain Schnoke gets robbed of some 435,904 pionis, value \$510,855, and representing future in store for Section; and those who follow.

OOMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

TUESDAY, 10th April

EXPORT CARGO. Per M. M. steamer Sindh, for Continent-1,613 bales silk, 76 bales waste-silk, 21 bales Merchandise and sandry products imported cocoons, 12 bales punjums, 1 case silk, 17 cases

)n London.-Bank Bills, on demand.........3/7 Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight...3/7% Bank Bill at 4 months sight 3/8 Credits, at 4 months' sight ...3/81 Documentary Bills, at 4 months

Bank Bills, on demand Credits, at 4 months' sight 4.66 N Bombay.—Bank. 3 days' sight 223 N Calcutta.—Bank,3 days'sight 2232 IN SHANGHAL ---

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BHARES. A fair number of Yangtzes have been placed it Tls. 1,275 and Tls. 1,300 for cash and also at the latter rate for the end of the month, closing firm with buyers. Dooks have been done at 60 and 61 per cent. premium for cash, and 65 and 66 per cent, for the end of June. Luzons have hanged hands at \$105 for cash and the end of the month. Steamboats at \$40 premium for each and China Fires at \$395 for each and the ent of the month. Banks rule steady at quotations. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-157

per cent. premium. Longkon and Shangaai Bank Shares-New Issne-155 per cent, premium. Inion Insurance Society of Cauton, Limited-

China 'Traders' Insurance Company's Shares-**\$2.900** per abare. North China Insurance—Pls. 1.900 per share. Yangtsze Insurance Association-Tls. 1.300 per

Chinese Insurance Company, Limited—\$207 per On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tis. 148 Canton Insurance Office, Limited—\$135 per

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares— \$1.425 per share. China Fire Insurance Company's Sharer-\$395 Hongkong and Whampoa Dook Company's "Shares--- 61 por cont. premium. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s

Shares-\$40 premium.

Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares-Chive and Manila Steamship Company, Limited --20) per cent. premium. Hongkong Gas Company's Shares—\$82 per Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-\$170 per

ducts, as also the chief centres from which we China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$205 China Sugar Refining Company (Debentures)-3 per cent. premium. Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$105

Hongkong Ice Company's Shares-\$165 per Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited -885 per share.

> HONGKONG TIDE-TABLE 11th To 17th April, 1883.

The height of mean sea level has been determined at 7.595 fect shore zero of the tide-gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard; and the Low-water Ordinary Spring-Tides, to which dutum the heights in these Tables are referred, as 5.595 feet above The heights in the Tables marked with a minus (-) sign are below how Water Ordinary Spring Tides, and should be subtracted from the constants given above.

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

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INTELLIGENCE. REPORTS OF MEETINGS OF COMPANIES, THE LATEST TELEGRAMS together with the POLITICAL AND GENERAL NEWS

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MAILS EXPECTED.

THE ENGLISH MAIL. The P. and O. steamer Brindisi, with the next English mail, left Singapore at 8 a.m. on the

8th, and may be expected here on the 13th inst THE AMBRICAN MAILS. The O. & O. steamer Gaelic, with the next American mail, left Yokohama on the 9th, and is due here on or about the 15th instant. The O. & O. steamer Belgie, with the suc-

ceeding American mail, is to leave Yokohama on

the 13th, and may be expected to arrive here on

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The Castle Line steamer Loudoun Castle left Singapore on the 7th, and is due here on the

13th instant. The N. I. steamer Camorta left Hatavia for this port via Saigon on the 1st, and may be expected here on or about the 16th instant. The staamer Nelson left Sydney on the 3rd April, and is due here on or about the 1st May.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

The authorised List of Mails issuel in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always reight will be received on board until 4 P.M. I corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL GLOSE For Saigon.—Per Electra, to-day, the 11th instant, at 9.30 A.M. For Straits Settlements.—Per Chi-yuen, to-

For Saigon.—Per Benalder, to-day, the 11th instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Saigon.-Per Ashington to-day, the 11th instant, at 1.30 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foodhow.-Per-Kwangtung, to-morrow, the 12th instant, at

11.30 a.m. For Shanghai. Per Glenfruin, to-morrow, the 12th instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide. &c. - Per Menmuir, to-morrow, the 12th instant, at 3.30 P.M. <For Manila.—Per Eolus, to morrow, the 12th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Nagasaki and Kobs.—Per Sumida Maru, on Friday, the 13th instant, at 3.30 P.M.

HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS. THE ENGLISH MAIL.

For Saigon.--Per Egean, on Friday, the 13th

instant, at 4.30 P.M.

The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet:— Day of Departure.

2.00 P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 3.10 p.m.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until 3.30 p.m.—when the Post Office closes entirely. 3.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board

the packet with late fee of 10 ceuts, until time of departure. THE FRENCH MAIL.

Day before Departure. P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours. Day of Departure.

7 A.M.. Post Office opens. 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. I A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters: 11.10 A.M. Letters may be posted with Late Fe of 10 cents until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely.

11.40 A.M.. Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until time of departure. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES

PACKET. The United States Mail Packet "CITY OF

TOKIO." will be despatched on FRIDAY, the 13th instant, with Mails for Japan, Honolulu, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Pern. &c., which will be closed as follows:--2.15 P.M., Registry cosses. 2.30 P.M. Post Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late

Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet "ANCONA." will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 17th inst. with Mails to and through the United Kingdom'and Europe via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the Australasian Colonies. The usual hours will be observed in closing

MAILS BY THE PRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet "YANG-TSE will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 24th April, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe. via Naples; to Sairon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Barmah. Caylor, the Australasian Colonies. Pondickery, Madras, Calentta, Adan, Egypt, Malta, Gibraltar, and Manritius.

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. Money Letters Public attention is called to the following extract from the Hongkong Postal Guide, "The Post Office declines all responsibility for unregistered Letters containing Bank Notes

&c., and, where Registration has been neglected. WILL MAKE NO ENQUIRIES into alleged lesses of such letters." Boxes of letters are sometimes received at the Post Office not sealed, that is to say, the box is fastened with sealing wax, but there is no impression of a seal. The attention of borholders is called to the

necessity of carefully sealing such boxes with some recognisable seal, and of sending a chitbook or receipt with them. The omission of the latter precaution leaves a doubt as to whether the contents of the box ever reached the Post Office: the omission of the former, as to whether part of them might not have been abstracted for the sake of the Postage Stamps. No responsibility can be accepted by the Post Office for erroneous replies to verbal enquiries. or to notes addressed to subordinate officers. The shroffs told off to sell stamps should aspecially not be regarded as able to give correct information. The Postal Guide alone is the standard on all points on which such information may be

RATES OF POSTAGE. Letters, per 1 os. 10 Cents Post Cards, each Books. Patterns, and Commercial? Papers, per 2 on. Newspapers & Prices Current, each 2 Cents. Registration 10 Cents: Do. with return receipt ... Commercial papers signify such papers as, though written by hand, do not bear the charac-

15 Cents. ter of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, deeds, copied music, &c. The charge is the same as for Books, but all packets of and wader 4 on, weight are charged 5 Cents.

Persons who send Musters of Tea through the Post in Tins are requested to have them made flat or square instead of round, as it is impossible to pack round time securely in 'the mail' bags. It is believed that the ten will travel

more safely in flat time, which are not so liable FIRE CHUNG NGOI SAN PO as round ones to be bulged in. 4 by 3 by 11 inches is suggested as a good sixe. The time should not have sharp corners. Is the best medium for Advertising among the LETTERS FOR THE UNITED STATES BY SAILING

It has been established upwards of Twenty | When it is desired to forward letters to the YEARS, and enjoys the largest bond fide circu- United States by a sailing ship which is not nolation of any Chinese paper in the Southern tified as carrying a mail, it is only necessary to China. It is carefully edited by an experienced post the letters in the ordinary way, marked Chinese Scholar, and contains Full and RE. with the name of the ship, and prepaid 10 cents per half ounce as usual. The Post Office then Terms for Advertising can be obtained at the undertakes the duty of obtaining notice of de-Office, Wyndham Street, Hongkong, or from parture and despatching the correspondence. It is requested that the letters be posted if postable at least one day before the date fixed for sailing

SXTRACTS. KIKU: A TALE OF NEW JAPAN.

The term for which Gilmour had been by it. Part I borrowed from the foreigner's decrept old wiman of seventy-to the sleepengaged as teacher in the Yamazawa school groom" (and here Take turned redder than ing apartments in the rear of the house. was drawing to an end, and it became ne- ever, for it was understood that she and This done, she sat down by the kitchen fire. was drawing to an end, and it became ne-lever, for it was understood over her misfortunes, and prepare Cotton Yard, No. 16 to 22, per 400 lbs. \$98.00 to 105.00 cessary for him to decide whether or not to Chö-kichi were more than "cousins"), "and to brood over her misfortunes, and prepare Cotton Yard, No. 28 to 32, per 400 lbs. \$98.00 to 105.00 lbs. \$112.00 to 116.50 lbs. \$98.00 to 105.00 lbs. that he should continue at his post for at has borrowed my silk dress and girdle." The wind monned without, the snow conand experienced a longing for other scenes domestic, and sobbed as if her heart would clothes rolledup in a corner. It was Take and a more active life. And vet he felt break. rides among the hills and valleys of the dollars! Why, there wasn't as much money distress. Kiku's head drooped on her bosom neighbourhood, and, above all, in his friendly in the whole of Highshi-machi l little maiden.

of the family presented the same cheerful home. faces, and there was no sign of the care that -cholera-during the summer, and Ken- are samurai, and he is-a foreigner?" attending to the sale of the silk and the foreigner was so different from all the other Without speaking a word, he took out his tea, to keep him fully occupied. The silk foreigners he had ever met. So kind, so wallet, and producing the bill, laid it down and had hardly paid for the labour; while, on from the mats and arranged his girdle. owing, which, ludicrously small though it tion of the school. would have been to many, assumed to these "What has become of Yoshigiro?" inchildren the proportions of a mountain. Quired Kiku, as she re-entered the room. Finally came news of the loss of the vessel " "He has gone to the foreigner's," roplied in which Kentare had sailed away to the the old woman. It was not necessary to up the document, and folding it carefully, fog-environed island of the north-the loss mention the object of his errand. of the vessel with all hands. Poor Kentaro! A sigh escaped the lips of Kiku-whether With what feelings of hopeful anticipation of relief or pain, it would be hard to tell, the usurer and the official. It was the lathe had bidden adieu to his dear ones, look. She sat down by the side of her grand- ter's turn to speak. ing forward to a return before the close of mother, and put her arms around the old the year, when all debts must by law-lady's neck. unwritten, it is true, but none the less bind- "I have been trying to pray, o-baba, but impassive face of the man, like a hunted anicial ostracism, and other dire ponalties!

death, the chances in his favour were slight. ple. Removing his straw snow-shoes, the of disgust. "Is there no hope?" she asked. If he had only lived! There might have visitor stepped up on the mats. It was Musa- "Have you no pity? Think of your own been a possibility of satisfying the hungry shive, the usurer. creditor, the hard and pitiless usurer into "Good evening, ladies, and the compli- The money-lender took out his pipe, and whose hands they were thrown. But it was ments of the season to you," he said, kneel- stooped to light it at the embers. uscless repining—the gods had decreed ing down in the abject posture assumed by "There is a way of discharging the debt," otherwise.

his forbearance until next summer, perhaps he would be patient with us. He knows the grandmother," she whispered. debt is our father's, and is witness to our efforts to discharge it." Little Kiku tried to from his bosom a wallet, from which he ex- meaningly. speak up bravely, but there was a big lump tracted a document bearing a large stamp in in her throat, and her voice quavered.

"It would be useless, sister," said the poor man was led to commit hara-kiri."

young mistress and master.

Yoshigiro smiled sadly, as he took out his month, liar and thief," fiercely exclaimed the veins flows the blood of a thousand heroes. P. Nordenskjold Feb. 5 E. Jensen father's pipe. Boys smoke in Japan as well old pratrician, as she rose to ber feet excited- Were my father alive, you would not Priscilla as in America.

"I took him papa's swords, and the pre- year, and well you know it."

offer for them?" asked Riku.

to conceive of any one offering such a price." bill? The interest is reckoned at the rate his sword looked inquiringly eround, in "Five hundred rivos?" said Kiku, inquir- of two per cent. per month, the sum due to search of the chamber of Yoshigiro.

"He laughed my proposition to scorn;

rushing to her face. "What did you say to dobt; but at the moment we can give you day, that I may try and realize—O. I cannot him in the face." him in reply? What could you say?"

"I said nothing," replied the boy, calmly, face as he sat, dog that he is; and if his ap. have one or two more clients to see, and will answer. prentices had not seized me, I would have call in on my way back." sliced him to pieces with the weapon he had

"I fear you have done wrong, brother, and yet I can hardly blame you. He will your house." be revenged on you if it be nossible."

not dream of revenge. You forget he is a being forthcoming. As to the young mas- of their snowsovered garments.

done; and if you had killed him, the law | will wait-" would not have harmed you." which the ancient lady belonged. Times blanket. "I shall without doubt see him cannot well depart, much as I should wish

the rosy face of Take-don appeared. She suming his snow-shoes, the usurer bowed "Do not fear I will not fail you." had vanished when the conversation com- himself out, leaving the maiden and her manced, and now took her place on the mats grandmother to their sorrowful reflections,

out on the floor, with huge excitement; a countenance told the tale. quantity of paper money of the total value The foreigner had gone off on horseback, of eleven dollars. "Take that and pay off no one knew whither, and was not expected "I have given my word," she said proud- Pearly Howes the beast, Musashiya, and let us all be bap- to return for several days. py once more." And the dear, fat, loyal - The brother and sister looked at each yangi Saburo. That as enough." scullion, burying her face in her capacious other in stony despair. Their last hope was sleeve, sobbed hysterically for very joy. shattered; they had nowhere to look for "Good Take," said Riku, gently, greatly help. affected by the faithful creature's devotion; If the kind, good foreigner was only at herself in front of the Butzu-dana, the house-"you must take up your money. We hear- home! For her sake, she whispered to her hold altar, on which the memorial tablets of

our distress." understand—you are to take all of it. Ele. at length, raising the boy from the mate on It would not be too late, even to-morrow ven dollars, there it is !" And Take, sdiz. which he had flung himself down, sobbing. Alas | there was no hope. Wretched, toring the dirty pieces of paper with nervous |"And you, too, grandmother; it is long past | tured Kiku | What a fate | what a fate | fuzers, pressed them into the hands of her your hour." Then bending over the blind

young mistress. Simple girl, it was a mint old woman, she whispered a request that of money to her, with her monthly wage of the lad might be kept ignorant of the visit fifty cents | "It is mine. You need have of the haurer, and gently led the two sorrowno scruples about taking it. I came honestly stricken mortals the child of ten and the

chats with the members of the Awoyangi "Kiku," said the old granddame, hesit- Dreamed of a far, strange country, a pleafamily—the old granddame and the demure atingly, seperhaps if we were to ask the for- sant and bountiful land, where every one quickly to him since his arrival in Yamazawa for I licar he is paid as much as a hundred own. Of a loving husband a darling little larkey Red Shirtings, 3 lbs., per piece \$1.75 to 2.40 had brought many changes to the household and fifty gold dollars every month." The one. Ofof his good friends, all fraught with sadness; old lady sighed heavily at the thought of so The warning bark of the faithful watch.

gnawed at the hearts of the little family, would be only too happy to lend us his as- The door slid back, and the usurer entor-Wee Fuji, a doll-like little creature of three, sistance. But I would never consent to it, ed. He was not alone. There entered

otter hunting expedition, had given up his said about them. If you were to offer him usurer's. studies, and started off in search of the Tom your father's swords as security until we Yoshigiro's quarrel with Musashiya flash-Tiddler's Ground described by his friend. could repay him, perhaps he would advance ed on the girl, and she began to dread the Little Yoshigiro, the ten-year-old now be- the money. It is our only hope. Pride worst. came the legal head of the household, and, must disappear in the presence of necessity." The policeofficer unbuckled his sword-belt, young as he was, carried his honours and The boy bent over the brazier, tracing and laid the weapon down by his side, while responsibilities with dignity. He, too, had strange figures in the glowing coals, and the usurer scated himself by the brazier, been obliged to abandon his studies, his painfully revolving the pros and cons of motioning authoritatively to Kiku to take services being in request at home, where the argument in his weary young brain. her place by his side. His former attitude there was enough to do, what with the needs Ask a foreigner for a loan; on security, too, of respect and humility had vanished, and of the little farm, and the necessity of of his father's arms? Never! And yet this he was inclined to be insolent.

crop bad been almost a failure that year, gentle, so good! Yoshigiro jumped up in front of the girl. the other hand, the tea market was so over "I will ask him, grandmother," he said; looked around pitifully; there was none by stocked that prices had gone down to almost and drawing on his straw over-shoes, he to help or encourage. She gazed into the nothing. Worse than all, there was a debt opened the door and went out in the direct countenance of the usurer: it was merciless;

ing-be discharged, under pain of commer- the words were strangled ere they could gain mal. utterance. O, how much I envy you, dear Sad was the little group seated around the grandma! But a little while longer to stay sured tones. "This good citizen charges antique brazier of bronze, on the evening of on this weary earth; while for me"-and him with a deadly assault on his person, the closing day of the year. Snow was fall- the noor girl burst into a torrent of grief. which, fortunately for him, did not end as ing without, the trees were bowed down with The noisy barking of the house-dog pro- he intended. Shall I call in my men to conthe weight of their fleecy burdens, and the claimed the approach of a stranger, and the vey him to the prison, or would you prefer mournful wind swept piercingly through the voice of some one was heard outside, de- to accompany him?" crevices of the shutters, chilling every bine manding admittance. Kiku dried her tears | Kiku moved backward a little, and bowed with its icy breath. The news of the loss of and opened the door. By the dim rays of herself down before the low-born moneythe vessel in which Kentaro had sailed had the night-light, she perceived the form of a lender. Musashiya laughed, and put his been received that day; and though there man, muffled up in a red blanket, a favourite hand on her bead. was a bare possibility that he had escaped substitute for a cleak with the country peo. The girl shrunk from him with a shiver

Kiku's face blanched.

"He'h !" he ejaculated, with the peculiar siboy; "he has no heart. It was he who was billant inspiration of the Japanese tradesman, thing in lerear. the cause of Ogaki's death, you remember, intended to express deference. "Your lady-It was because of his persecution that the ship is doubtless aware that this is the last she started back. "Not in Yamazawa. day of the twelfth month. He'h ! And as I am going to the capital, where gold "He is a beast," broke in Take, vehiemently, your lady ship did not call at my humble place is plentiful, and beauty commands a price. seizing the iron tongs; "I would kill him to settle the amount of this note, I have made Give yourself to me, to dispose of as I will, if he were to come here." Take was a great, bold to call on your ladyship to receive the and I will cancel the indebtedness of your fat, good-natured lump of servitude, as ugly amount. He'h ! Two hundred and fourteen | dead father, and give you back his obligation." as the crow-god, but loyally attached to her dollars ninety-four cents and six mon. He'h! "Man, you do not know what you ask of

ly. "It wants two months of the end of the darecious lacquered box given him by our prince, He'h ! But your ladyship will be good Kashiwamum San, we need waste no more Sarah Hignett April 2 J. Baas asking him to appraise them, and give me enough to observe that since the advent of of our time. This young lady prefers her Schwan the balance due, after paying himself the the barbarous-foreign man the calendar has own happiness to that of her brothers and been changed, and the year now assimilates her blind grandmother, and has no regard "Sell dear papa's swords! How could with that of the Westerns. Heh!"

true Mura-masas, and have been in our fa- people may continue to cling to their ancient and a privilege to offer herself as a mily for hundreds of years. I am so glad habits and customs, but the law recognizes living sacrifice on the alter of filial piety; he did not buy them. How much did he only the new order of things; and according but our country has been given over to the to the law, it is the last day of the year." "You would never guess," returned Yo- "He'h! Your ladyship is correct. Did the such a state of things has passed away." shigiro. "It would be impossible for you ear of your ladyship catch the amount of the

and ended by the remain here in Yamazawa?" Musashiya and ended by offering me six riyos for the side of the old woman, as if for protection, nodded, and proceeded to wrap himself up "At least, not now. It is possible that be- in his blanket." "How dared he insult the memory of my fore midnight we may be in a position to father," said Kiku, indignantly the hobblood discharge a portion or even the whole of the that is pitiful! Give me if it be but one

ing the money, my brother will take it to and bind him. "I largely thank you. But I must needs the door opened, and three police officers, There is no cause for alarm, sister. He come again, as there will be some business wearing overcoats of straw and large hats. Albatros not dream of revenue. Vis debt, but will to transact, in the event of the money not entered, and proceeded to divest themselves Bride.

ter—he has not left Yamazawa?"

Once it was so, in the old feudal days to the usurer, hastily rising and resuming his "To-morrow being New-Year's Day, I on my return, however. Meanwhile, I pray to do so but next day, at dawn-At that moment the door slid open, and you make my respects to him." And re- "I shall be ready," said Kiku, calculy." with a countenance beaming with satisfac. He had hardly got clear of the house, agreement. Kiku asked him what it meant. when Yoshigiro refurned. No need to in-

tily appreciate your kindness, but it is un. self, he would-and then a flush overspread departed relatives are deposited, and prayed fortunately not in your power to help us in her wan checks, and she chid herself for the to the gods for strength to support her in the half-formed thought.

the serving-maid, sound asleep, and blessed,

na she sat by the fire, and she, too, dreamed.

though to their foreign friend the members much money abroad and so much poverty at | dog again smote on the crisp midnight air, and Kiku started up from the floor. Mu-"Rind, good, friend that he is! I know be sashiya had not forgotten his appointment.

had fallen a victim to the prevailing acourge never!" exclaimed the boy proudly. "We with him a sinister-looking man of middle age, with a hang-dog look, and a bard mouth. tare, the eldest lad, allured by the glowing | Kiku looked repreachfully at the little Kiku's face paled, and a terrible fear took stories told by the son of a neighbour who fellow, and left the room. "Foreigners have possession of her. It was Kashiwamura, the had visited Yokohama and thence made hearts just like ours, I do believe," returned new chief of police, a man feared and detesta voyage to the Kurile Islands, on a sea. the old lady, "notwithstanding all that is ed by the people, and known as a tool of the

The world seemed slipping from her. She

into the eyes of the law: they were stony. At lastshe spoke: "We cannot pay you. Do your worst." The money-lender said nothing. He took

replaced it in his breast. A meaning look was exchanged between

"The young master—has he refurned?" Kiku made so reply. She gazed into the

"Lwant him," he continued, in slow mea-

family, your children ! "

the lower class when saluting their superiors, he said, intonesso low that they could not be "If I were to go to Musashiya, and crave and bowing his head till it touched the floor. overheard by the official; "and at the same "It is the usurer, time purchasing indemnity for the assault put upon me by that high-spirited beggar. Musashiya grinned diabolically, and took | your brother." And he looked at the girl

A vague terror took possession of her. "Name it," she said, in unsteady tones. He bent over her, and whispered some-

"Not here," he added, hurriedly, as "It is not the last day of the twelfth me. You forget I am a samurai, in whose

He interrupted her impatiently: "Come, Robert Porter for the honour of her dead father. you, Yoshigiro! Why, you know they are "He speaks truly, grandmother. The was when a daughter considered it a duty foreign devils and their odious customs, and The official slowly arose, and buckling on

Kiku raised her head from the floor. "To Hwai-ynea

"Grant me a respite, in the name of all believe that you mean it! I, Kiku, the Argon "Good," said the usurer, returning the daughter of the karo of Yamazawa! I will Annie tapping the bowl of his tiny pipe against note to its former receptacle. "I will come not consent—I cannot—it is impossible! I Frohlich the side of the brazier. "I kicked him in the again half an hour before midnight. I will kill myself first l. Sir, you have your Omega

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Ger, bk |

"Yoroshii. Good. Kushiwamura San, "We will not put you to the trouble of the sleeping rooms are on your left. You calling, sir, If we are successful in procur. will find the boy there; call in your men The official clapped his bands as a signal.

Kiku arose and advanced towards the Gitanilla "You did well, boy; you did well," ex"He has gone to the house of a friend, usurer. "When do you propose to convey Hilda Maria hoping to be able to procure the me to the capital?" she asked steadily. Kjobenhava Oceania You did what your father would have pay you. I expect him immediately; if you She was shy, timid little Kiku no longer. Oceania For the sake of her boy-brother and her Pallas "That is a thing impossible," returned blind old grandmother 1. 1. 1. 1.

The usurer drew out his inkhorn and a Anglo-Indian roll of paper, and was about to draw up an Brenda Chingtah Musashiya explained: It was a business C. H. Wappaus Mar. 9 Royson There, master," she shouted, spreading quire how he had fared on his errand; his transaction he said, and it was always better Kolga to have an agreement recorded in due form; Kolga

ly, "The word of the daughter of Awo. Pelho Queen of India Mar. 31 Inokey The usurer made his obeisance and departed : his tool and the constables followed. When they had gone, Kiku prostrated bour of trial. "Pardon, mistress, but it is. You do not Go to your rest, brother dear," she said Oh, if the foreigner would only return! Batavia

HONGKONG MARKETS. WOOLLEN GOODS. e Reported by Chinese on the 10th April, 1888. American Drills, 30 yards, per plece ... \$2.95 to 3.10 American Drille, Iblbs,, por piece ... \$3,90 to 3,05 Cotton Yarn, Bombay \$78.00 to 79.50 English Drills, 30 yards, per piece \$2.55 to 2.05 English Drills, 14 lbs., per piece \$2.45 to 2.50 and a more active life. And yet he felt happy in his surroundings. He loved his pupils, and took pride in their progress and the unfolding of their intellect; he enjoyed the steem of his fellow-officials, and was a favourite with the jolly old governor of the profecture, with whom he often exchanged profecture, with whom he often exchanged of the astounded servant-maid, and she fell happy in his surroundings. He loved his funded seem, with happy dreams for she happy in his surroundings. He loved his funded seem, with happy dreams for she happy in his surroundings. He loved his funded seem, with happy dreams for she happy in his surroundings. He loved his for beyond the amount you so generously offer. We need as much as two softly.

The minutes slipped by. The antique profecture, with whom he often exchanged of the astounded servant-maid, and she fell happy in his surroundings. He loved his funded seem, with happy dreams for she happy dreams Shellfish, Japan, per picul\$27.00 to 39.00 GreyT-Cloths, 24 yds, & 32 in. 7 lbs. p. pe. \$1.35 to 1.70 GreyT-Cloths, 24 yds 36 in 8 lbs. XO p. pe. \$1.80 to 1.85 Straits Produce. &c. .-Betal Nut, per picul 34.15 to 4.25 Elephant's Teeth, 4 to 5 pieces....... \$250 to 300 Elephant's Teeth, 7 to 8 pieces,...... \$200 to 220 \$0.55 to 0.62 Spelter, per pioul, \$1.48 to 1.54 Rattan, Straits, per picul...... Flour, American, per barrel of 100 lbs... \$3.10 to 3.25 Rattans, Bangar, per pioul Flour, American, per barrel of 200 lbs., \$6.20 to 6.35 Sandal Wood, Malabar, per picul \$4.30 to 4.85 Sandal Wood, Sonth Sons, per picul \$21.50 to 22.55 Sapan Wood, Manila, per picul \$1.45 to 1.65 Sapan Wood, Siam, per picul \$2.25 to 2.85 Flints, per picul 30.50 to 0.65 Figure 7 (and 1) and 1) SHIPPING IN THE CHINA WATERS.

V BOXICAN	DATE OF ARRIVAL	CAPTAIN.	FLAG AND BIG.	TONS.	Constanees.	DESTINA- TION.	vessel.	DATE OF	CAPTAIN.	FLAG AND BIG.	TONS	CONSIGNEES.	DESTINA- TION.
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			STEAMERS						In	PORT	on 30th March, 1883.		
Ægean	April 9	Thomas	Brit. str	750 823	Tung Kee & Co.	Manila	A. Cashman Ada	Dec. 7	Sternberg Goldie	Rus. soh		F. Retz	
Æolus Ashington	April 1 April 7	Alduva McDonald	Span.str Brit. str	- 809 589	Dunn, Melbey & Co Jardine, Matheson & Co	Manna	Adels Alexander	-	Isaacson	Brit.sch Rus.sch	50	H. Cook F. Retz	
Bellona Benalder	April 7 April 6	W. Schaeler J. Harvie	Ger. str Brit. str	1330	Siemssen & Co Gibb, Livingston & Co		Alma	Nov. 18	Carlson Tibbey	Am. sch Am. sch	50 52	H. Cook J. D. Carroll & Co	
Brutus Cassandra	April 5 Mar. 26	T. Wagner	Ger. str Ger. str	460 10 97	Wieler & Co Siemsseu & Co	Hiogo	Anna Bertha Black Dismond		Boyd	Ger. bk Ger. bk	368 670	J. E. Collyer & Co P. Bohm	
Chi-yven City of Tokio	April 7 Mar. 30	Wallace J. Maury	Chi. str Amr. str	1193 3128	C. M. S. N. Co P. M. S. S. Co	S. Francisco	Chocorua Diana	Oot. 31	E. A. Locke Peterson	Amr. sh Am. sch	1663 64	C. Illies & Co Captain	
De Bay Electra	April 7 April 7	J. Lee E. Kaler	Brit. str Ger. str	1029 1462	Arnhold, Karberg & Co Siemssen & Co		Earl Granvilla Eliza	Mar. 26	Reynolds Abbott	Brit. soh Am. soh	1198 113	Frazar & Co D. Carroll & Co	
Esmeralds Fame	Mar. 24	G. Wright Stopani	Brit, str Srit, str	395 117	Russell & Co H. & W. Dock Co.		1	Nov. 20	Oetting Stenberg	Ger. bk Rus, sch	336 65	Grosser & Co	
Glenfruin	April 9	Wallace	Brit. str.	1936	Jardine, Matheson & Co		H. Bremer Helena	Mar. 28 Nov. 1	Bremer	Ger. bk	322	Captain Chinese	
Glenroy Groybound	April 7 April 8	Glake D. Soott	Brit str Brit str	1411 229	Jardine, Matheson & Co Adamson, Bell & Co		Lizzie	Eeb, 5	Bischof Abbott	Am. soh Am. soh	40 60	M. Ginsbuy D. Carroll & Co	
Hainan Hankow	April 8	Connor J. Ogston	Brit, str Brit, str	290 2235	Along Butterfield & Swire	Cantor	M. C. Bohm Otomo	Oot. 31		Ger. seh Am. seh	56 30	P. Bohm Owston, Snow & Co	
Honam Hungarian	April 10	T.T. Benning		134¢. 978	H. C. & M. Steamboat Co Russell & Co	Canton	Otsego Otter	Oct. 13	E. Pierce Littlejohn	Am. sch Am. sch	36 56	Captaiu J. E. Collyer & Co	
Ingo	April 10	Jesselsen F. F. Flack	Ger. str	672	Captain D. Sassoon, Sout & Co		Rose Rose	Dec. 7	Brassey Wilson	Am. sch Am. soh	72 40	M. Ginsberg W. Copeland	
Kiu Kiang		A. Bonning	Brit. str		H.C. & M. Steamboat Co H. C. & M. Steamboat Co		Sophie Stells		L'ascheffsky Isaacs	Rus, bg	830	North Pacific Co	
Kiungchow Kwangtung	April 8		Brit. str	674	Douglas Lapraik & Co	Coast Ports	Tsernogora	Mar. 18	Cann	Rus. sch Brit. sh	1252	F. Retz Cornes & Co	
Lennox Menmair	Mar. 29 April 6	Scott W. Ellis	Brit. str Brit. str	1327 1247	Jardine, Matheson & Co Gibb, Livingston & Co	Melbourne	Undannd Vigilant	Mar. 29 Feb. 22	Gould	Amr. sh Amr. sh	1764 1800	C. & J. Trading Co Frazar & Co	
Merionethabire Miramar	April 10 April 8		Brit str Brit str	1245 980	Adamson, Bell & Co Russell & Co	London	Zephyr	Oot. 16	Ewart	Brit.soh	250	P. Hodnett	
Mongkut Patroclus	April 7	Loff J. Riloy	Brit. str Brit. str	859 1658	Yuen Fat Hong Butterfield & Swire	Shanghai							
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R'nattiaunhar	April 4	Hunter	Brit. str	793	Ycen Fat Hong	Ban kok					,	HANIDA.	
Spark Sumatra	April 1	Fairtlou :h	Brit, str Brit, str	1408	H.C. & M. Steamboat Co P. & O. S. N. Co	Yokohama				In P	ORT ON	21st March, 1883.	
Sumida Maru White Cloud	April 8	H. Hubenet	Jap. str Brit str	820 652	M. B. M. S. S. Co H. C. & M. Steamboat C.	Nagasaki Macao	Arab	Feb. 19		Ger. bk	541	Martin, Dyce & Co	London
Yottung	June 23	H. Kennett	Brit, str	286	Kwok Acheong & Sons		Atma B. F. Watson	Feb. 3 Feb. 9		Nor. bk Amr. bk	525 993	T., Herrmann & Co Baor, Senior & Co	N.Y. or B'ton New York
				FLATT.	NO VESSELS		Daniel Derbyshire	Mar. 11 Mar. 16		Ger, bk Brit sh	416	Smith, Bell & Co Peels, Hubbell & Do	Tientsin S. Francisco
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-Alden Besse Assens	Dec. 22 April 6	Vandel	Amr. bk Dan. bk	842 255	Melchers & Co Wieler & Co		Raphael	Feb. 12		Span bk Amr. sh	1543	Smith, Bell & Co Peele, Hubbell & Co	Boston
C. B. Hazeltine Chaudernager		W. Gilkey Mercier	Ame, bk Lbr. bk	890 683	Russell & Co Carlowitz & Co	New York	Varuna	Feb. 8		Ger. bk	487	C. Heinszen & Co	Liverpool
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Cyprus	Jan. 11.	Johnson	Brit, sh	1392 457	Captain Chee Chong Hong								The second of th
Edderside .	Mar. 29	R. Hertsberg Chas. Lane	Brit. sh		Borneo Co., Limited						1	LOILO.	
Ellen Ernst	Mar. 25		Brit. bk Ger. bk	499 664	Arnhold, Karberg & Co J. R. Lammert					T T		:01am "NE" 1000"	
Guardian Harvard	Feb. 2 Mar. 29		Amr. sh Amr. bk	1124 1033	Captain Captain							21st March, 1883.	
Hecht	Mar. 24		Ger. sch Amr. bk	358 612	Siemsson & Co Russell & Co		Annio M. Law Granville Belle	Mar. 1		Brit. bk	_1130	Austen & Co Ker & Co	Montreal Boston
Kepler	April 9 Jan. 2	Oetken	Ger. bk	758 245	Captain Ed. Schellhass & Co			Mar. 1 Mar. 15		Aur. bk Aur. sh	662	Smith, Bell & Co Ker & Co	N.Y. or B'ten Manila
Lutia	Mar. 5	C. Crowly	Ger. sch Brit. bk	639	Adamson, Bell & Co			Jan. 14		Nor. bg		Austen & Co	Now York
M. Whitridge		Panno Geo. Freeman		1156 862	Chinese Russell & Co	New York	HER B	RITANI	NIC MAJEST	Y'S SHI	SIN	THE CHINA SQUAD	RON.
N. Thayer	April 1	Crosby	Amr. bk	585	Adamson, Bell & Co								· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

Mar. 5 Bannem Ger. bk l Mar. 29 | Eston -1133 Amr. bk NAME. CAPTAIN. Melchers & Co Mar. 25 Diewitz 683 Victoria B.C. 453 Russell & Co. 840 Com. Hicks Hongkong Albatross screw sloop. Mar. 25 Young Ed. Schellhass & Co double-screw ron frigate Captain R. E. Tracey Hongkong Andaoious April 2 P. Savary .280Carlowitz & Co. Fran. bg Capt. R. G. S. Pasley corvette Singapore April 6 D. C. Nichols Amr. bk Champion 840 Russell & Co. Capt. H. N. Hippisley corvette Hongkong Cleopatra Mar. 25 | Schroder Captain Austruther Hongkong Curacoa. Siem sen & Co Com. F. J. J. Eliott composite sloop Daring Nagasaki Ed. Schellhass & Co. Sir. W. Wallace Feb. 24 T. R. Brown Brit. bk 968 double screw gunboat Hongkong In reserve . Esk Feb. 4 Alex. Smith Adamson, Bell & Co. Flying Fish Lient. Com. Hoskyn Hongkong Mar. 21 Dibbern 179 Wieler & Co Com. John Hope Lieut. Com. McQuhae double-screw gun-vessel Singapore Wandering Jew Fob. 26 H. Talpay S. Francisco Amr. sh 1668 | Russell & Co Foxhound Wm. Manson | April 1 | H. Kindred 366 Russell & Co Commander H. Hotham double-screw gun-vessel Shanghai Kestrel 1050 Com. C. R. Harris En route S'hai gunboat... Linnet 600 Lieut-Com. A. Carpenter Hongkong Magpie aurveying vessel 470 In reserve Hongkong Midge double-screw gun-vessel MACAO. 390 Lieut. Com. J.H. Corfe Kobe Moorhen gunbost Brit. str | 115 | H., C. & M. Steamboat Co | Canton Lefavour Com. Blokford Pegasus aloop Lieut. Com. M. Bridger Sheldrake gunboat Amoy CANTON. 5 | 1010 - | Commander Collins double-screw gun-vessel Swift Capt. J. W. Brackenbury En route S'pore 990 | Jardine, Matheson & Co Thalia troopship April 7 Davies Hongkong In reserve Chi. str double-screw gunboat 984 C. M. S. N. Co. Tweed Wilson Hongkong "We cannot pay you, sir," said Kiku, Tokjo, did you say? You do not ask me to P'sident Simson Mar. 28 G. S. Carlett Brit. bk 1235 Jardine, Matheson & Co Commodore Cuming receiving ship V. Emanuel Lieut.-Com. C. Lindsay | Hougkong 1230 paddle despatch-vessel SWATOW. BAILING VESSELS. In Port on 8th March, 1883.

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NAMO.	PLAG. G	JUNO.	H.P.	CAPTAIN.	WHEEE A
Abreck	Russian gunboat	7	800	Captain Schanz	Chefoo
Adonis	French ganboat	5	250	Commander Caillard	Saigon
Alert	American corvette	4	150	Commander L. Kempff	Kobe
Africa	Russian corvette	8		Captain Alexisff	Singapore
Aragon	Spanish frigate			Captain J. R. Hiquero	"Hongkong
D of Edinburgh	Russian tronolad	18	900	Captain Giers	Shanghai
Elizabeth	German corvette	15	400	Hollmann	Yokohama
Ermak	Russian transport		80	Captain Koltchau	Nagasaki
Gornostai	Russian gunboat	7	80	Commander Stark	Vladivosto
Tis Care	German gunboat	8	100	Commander Kiausz	Craising
Kersaint	French corvette		375	Commander Beaumont	Canton
La Victoriense	French frigate	14	750	Captain D. de la Batie	Hongkong
Leipzig	German corvetta	16.		Cantain Herbig	Hongkong
Latio	French gunboat	4	100	Captain Rouvier	Saigon -
Monoosoy	American gunboat	6	70U	Commander C. S. Cotton	Swetow
Morge	Russian gunboat	7	80	Commander Tatarinoff	Japan
		7	80	Commander Valrondt	Chefoo
Nerpa Palos	American guaboat	6	200	LientCommunder Green	Hongkoug
Plasto un	Russian corvette	8		Captain Poliansky	Saigon
Richmond		14	300	Captain Skerrott	Hongkong
Sobol .	Russian gunboat	7	80	Commander Boyle	Vladivosto
St. Petersburg	Russian transport	6		Captain Sidenener	Vladivosto
Stosoh	German corvette	19	700	Captain von Buchholts	Hongkong
	Portuguese gunbout			Capt. da Costa Cabral	Маово
Tamega Tengera	Bussian gunboat	_ 1	· [Commander Heck	Singapore
Velasco	Spanish orulear		ا - سب	Capt. T. M. Warleta	Hongkong
Vestnik	Russian orgiser			Captain Aveler	Singapore
Villars	French craiser	15	600-	Captain Downtre	Saigon
Vostook	Russian gunboat	∡ .		Commander Molohonsky	Јарац
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NAME.	FLAG AND BIG.	BKUS	TONS	H.P.	COMMANDER.	STATION.
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